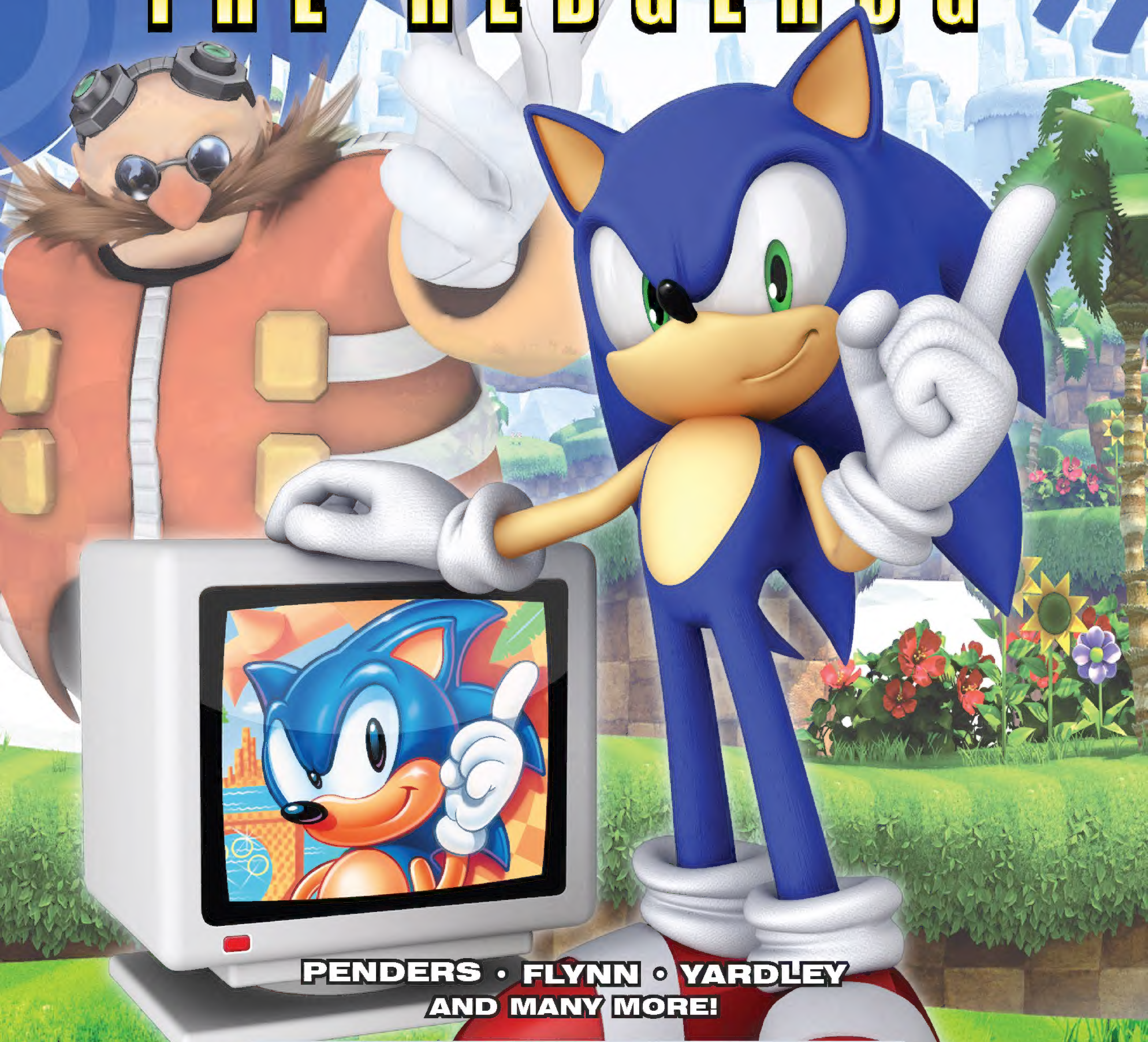


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THE HEDGEHOG



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SONIC: THE GAMES

M O D E R N

I AM

I WILL ASK YOU ONE LAST TIME, DOCTOR. WHERE IS PROFESSOR GERALD'S DIARY?

GRAND-FATHER'S DIARY IS *MINE*, JUST LIKE YOU, SHADOW! I **COMMAND** YOU TO RELEASE ME!

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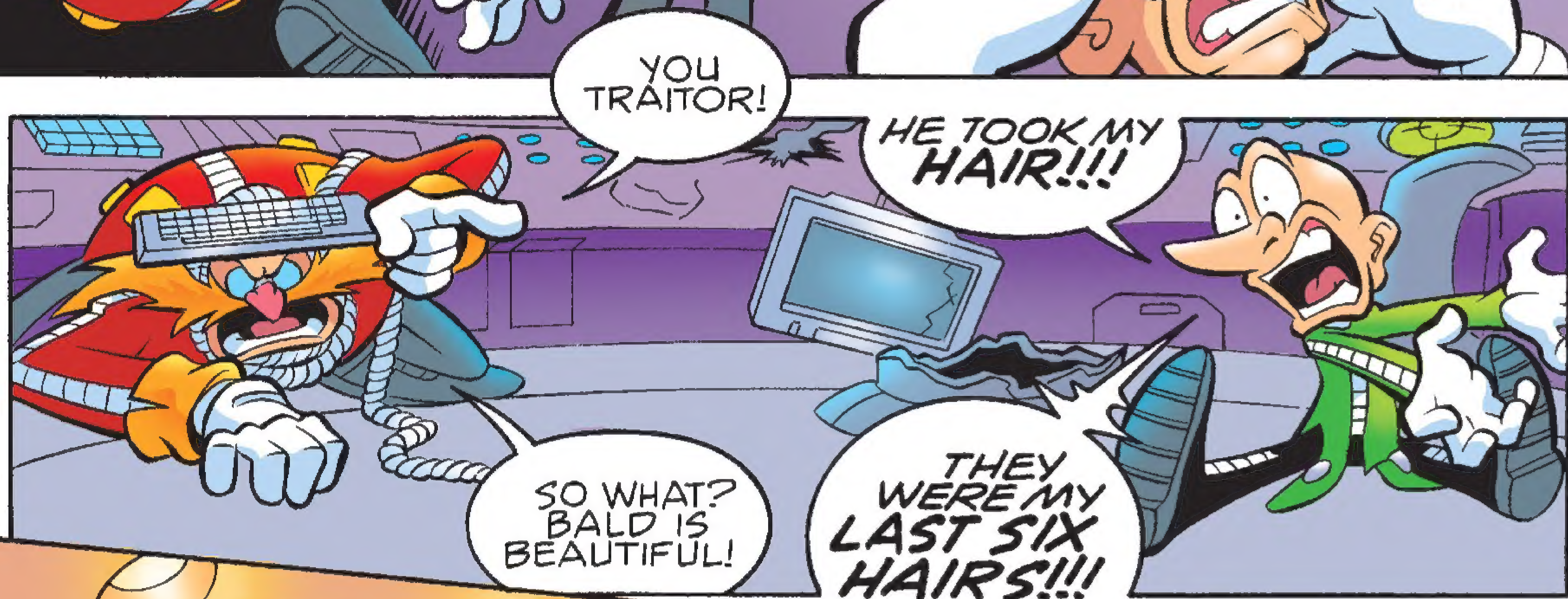
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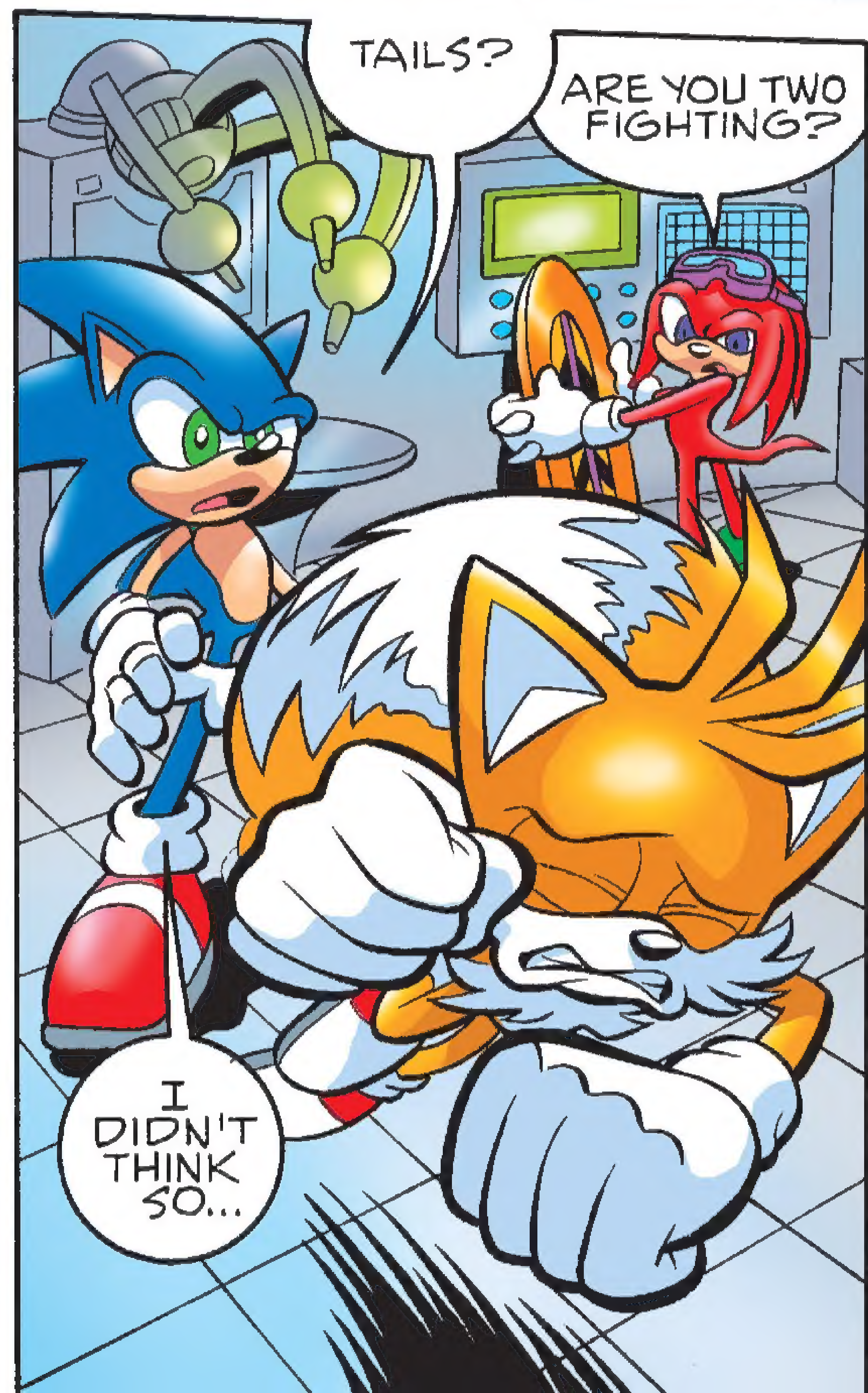
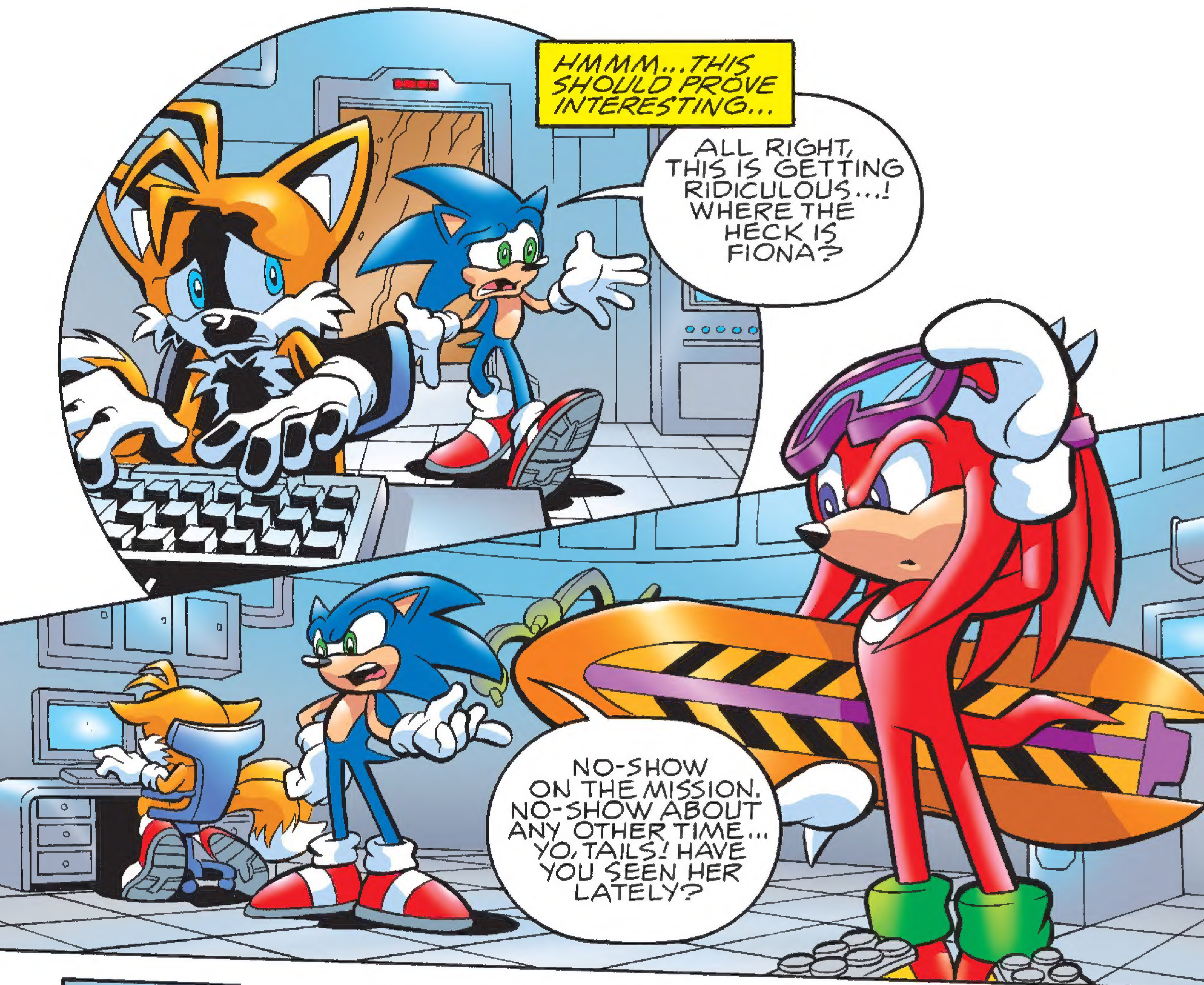
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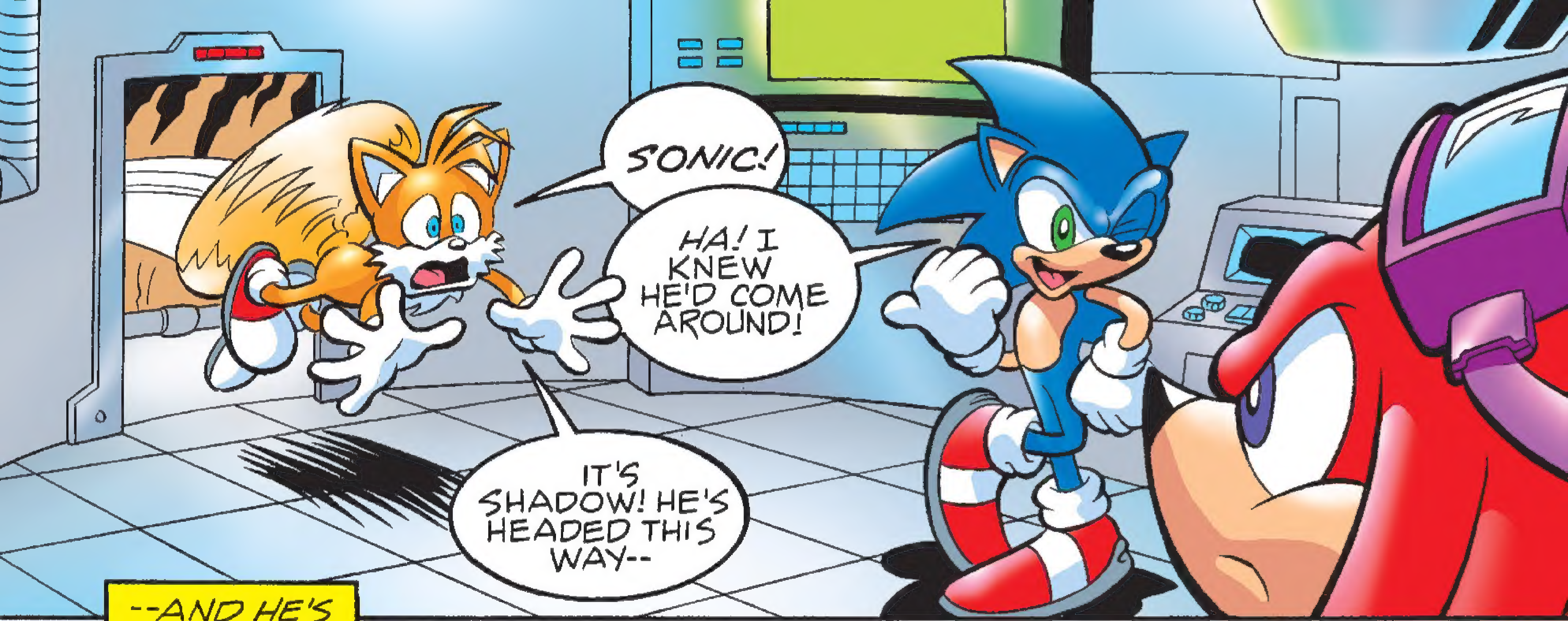
THE DIARY.

UNCLE ROBOTNIK'S PRIVATE STUDY! I SWEAR!

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HA! I
KNEW
HE'D COME
AROUND!

IT'S
SHADOW! HE'S
HEADED THIS
WAY--

--AND HE'S
UNDER
ATTACK!



NO!

KLLZZ!

SWASH!

WE'VE GOT
TO STOP
MEETING
LIKE THIS.

YOU
COULDN'T
SHOW
UP TEN
SECONDS
EARLIER!

WHY,
YOU'RE
WELCOME,
SHADOW.
I'M GLAD
WE COULD
HELP YOUR
PROFUSE
GRATITUDE IS
TOUCHING.



YOU'RE
RIGHT. I
APOLOGIZE.

...YOU
DO?

YOU ARE THE
ONLY ONE I CAN
TURN TO, BLUE
HEDGEHOG. THIS
IS THE DIARY OF
MY CREATOR
**PROFESSOR
GERALD
ROBOTNIK.**



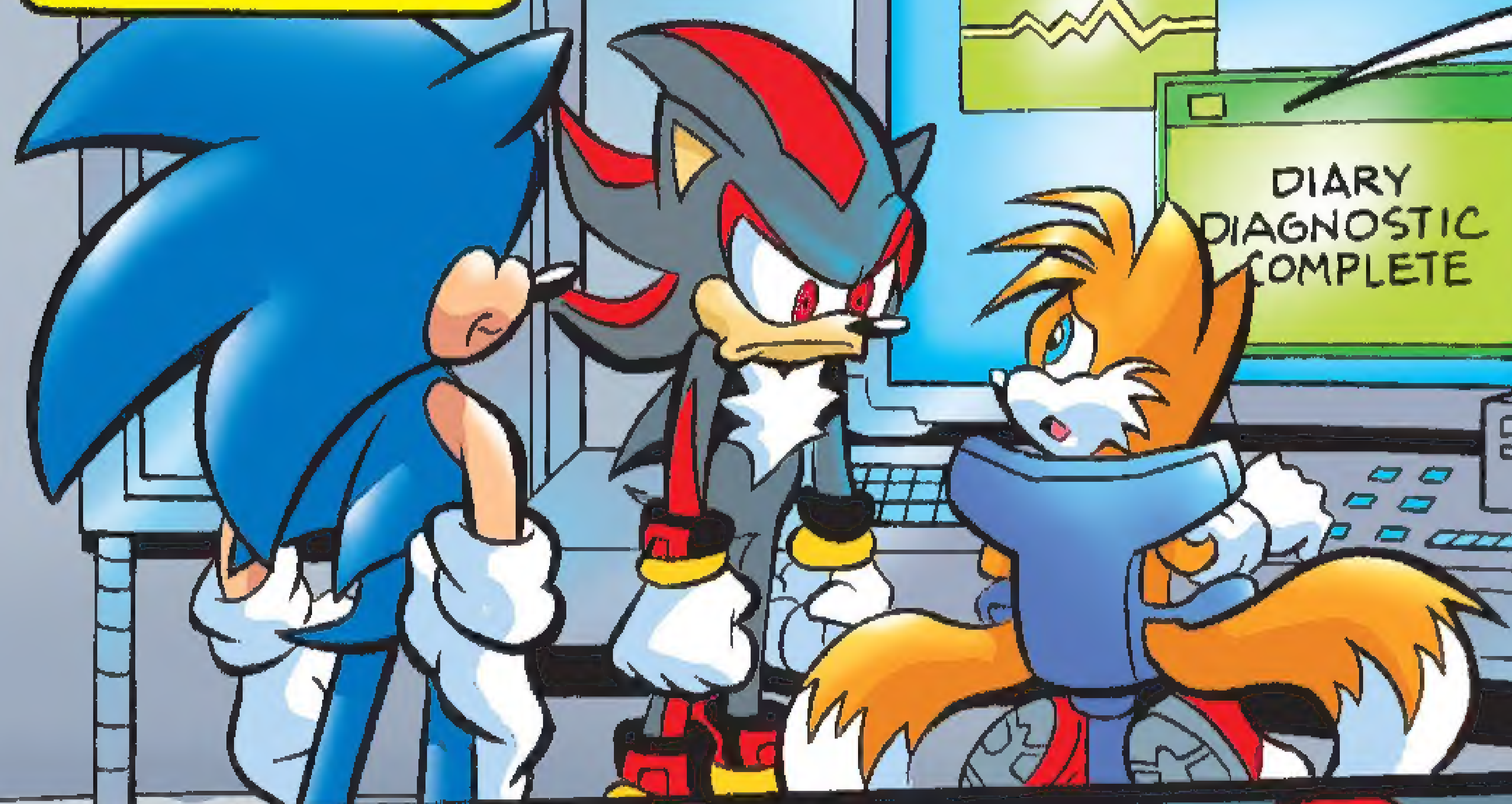
THIS DISK
CONTAINS ALL
THE ANSWERS.
WHO I AM.
WHAT I'M
MEANT
TO BE.



PLEASE,
SONIC.
I NEED TO
KNOW WHO
I AM.

NO
WORRIES,
FAKER. WE'VE
GOT YOU
COVERED.

A SHORT
TIME LATER...



I DON'T
KNOW HOW MUCH
WE CAN DO FOR
YOU, SHADOW. THE DATA
IS SO OLD AND IT'S SO
DAMAGED THAT A LOT
OF THE INFORMATION
IS CORRUPTED. IF WE
TRIED TO DIG INTO
WHAT'S LEFT, IT MIGHT
CORRUPT THE WHOLE
THING.

I REFUSE
TO TURN
BACK NOW.

IF I MAY--IF YOU
WERE TO PHYSICALLY
INTERFACE WITH THE
DATA, YOU MIGHT BE
ABLE TO FIND OUT
WHAT YOU NEED.

YOU
CAN DO
THAT?

IT WILL TAKE ONLY
A FEW MINUTES
OF PREPARATION.

THEN,
YES, LET
US DO
THAT.

EMPHASIS ON
"U/S," FAKER. I'M
NOT LETTING
YOU HAVE ALL
THE FUN.

DON'T
WORRY
ABOUT
FREEDOM
HQ. I'LL
KEEP AN
EYE ON
THINGS
HERE.



COOL. AND
TELL FIONA I'M
LOOKING FOR HER,
IF YOU SEE HER.

LET US HOPE.
SONIC...SHADOW
...WE'RE READY.



INSIDE
GERALD'S
DIARY...

SO THIS
IS WHERE
YOU WERE
CREATED?

YES.

HOMEY.

IT'S JUST
AS I FEARED.
OUR VERY
PRESENCE IS
ACCELERATING
THE DEGRADATION.
WE NEED TO BE
QUICK.

NICOLE
?!

I... YES, I'VE
BEEN INVESTIGATING
CORPOREAL LIFE AS
A SIDE-PROJECT.*

SWEET!
I LIKE THE
LOOK.

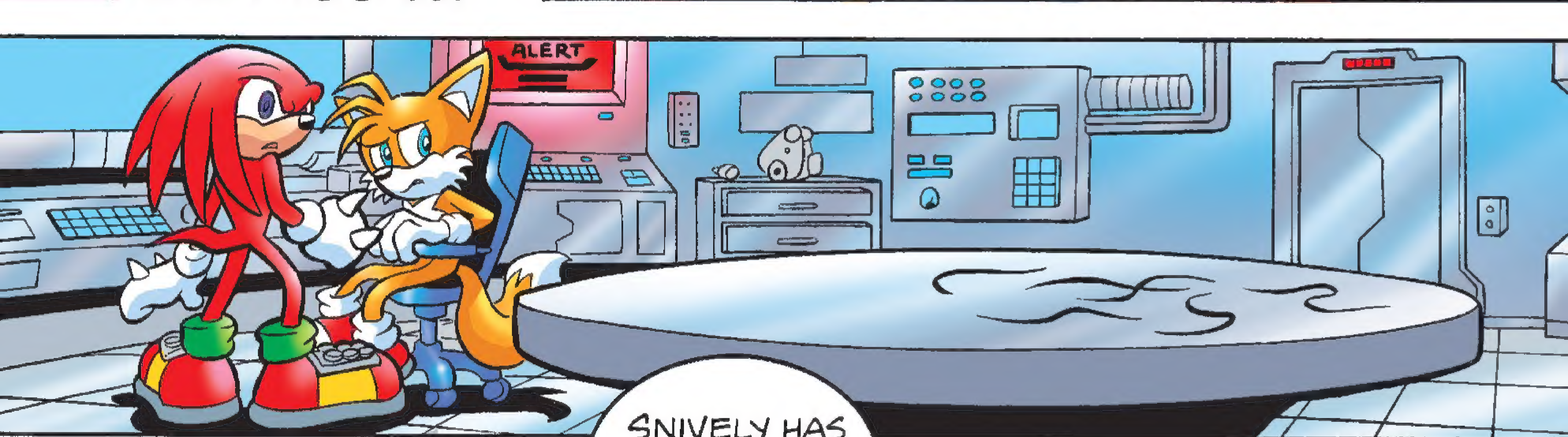
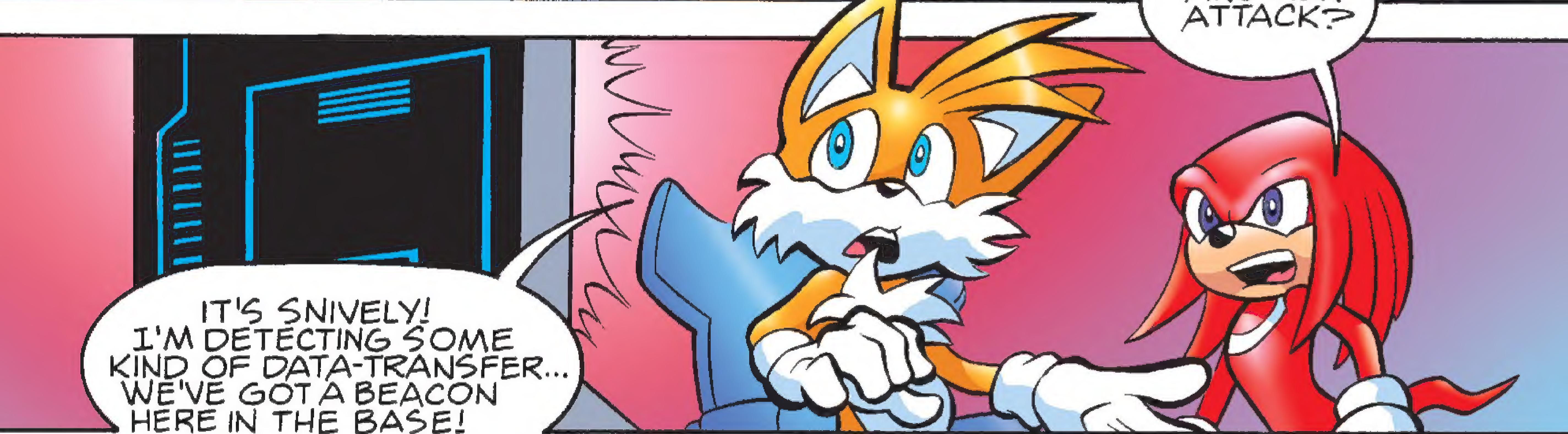
THANK
YOU, I'VE RUN
INTO SOME
DIFFICULTIES,
BUT...

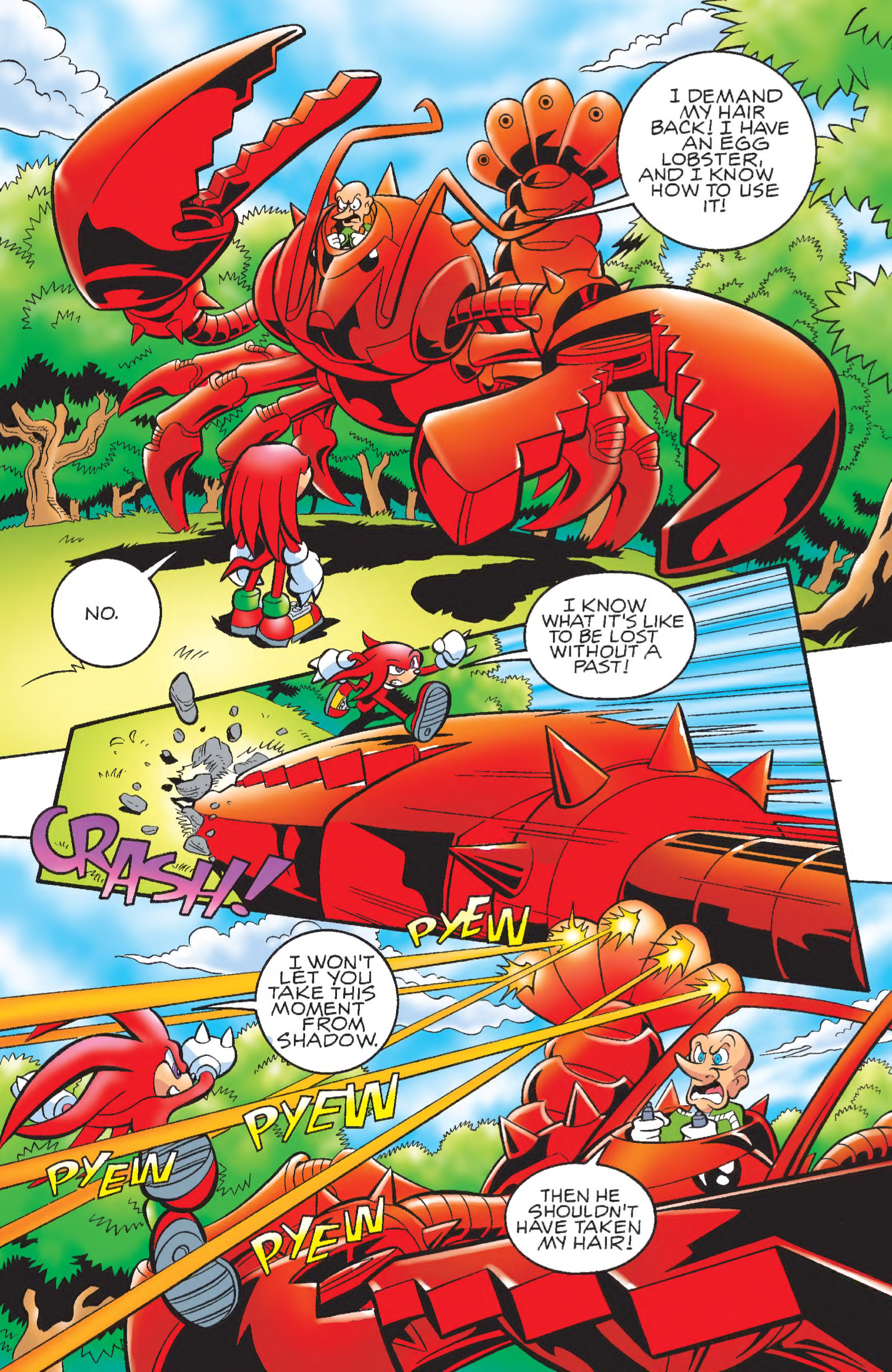
I THOUGHT
YOU SAID WE
NEEDED TO
BE QUICK.

*AS SEEN IN
STH # 151.

SHADOW!
WELCOME
BACK!

YOU!





I DEMAND
MY HAIR
BACK! I HAVE
AN EGG
LOBSTER,
AND I KNOW
HOW TO USE
IT!

NO.

I KNOW
WHAT IT'S LIKE
TO BE LOST
WITHOUT A
PAST!

I WON'T
LET YOU
TAKE THIS
MOMENT
FROM
SHADOW.

THEN HE
SHOULDN'T
HAVE TAKEN
MY HAIR!

PYEWW

PYEWW

PYEWW

PYEWW

CRASH!!

INSIDE
GERALD'S
DIARY...

MARIA... I
THOUGHT I'D
LOST YOU
FOREVER.

DON'T BE
SILLY, SHADOW.
AS LONG AS YOU
HOLD ME IN YOUR
HEART AND THOUGHTS,
WE'LL NEVER BE
APART!

WHO
ARE YOUR
FRIENDS?

FRIENDS
...?

YEAH, HI,
WE'RE STILL
HERE. WE'RE
HERE TO GET
SOME ANSWERS,
REMEMBER
?

OF...OF
COURSE...

MARIA, I
HAVE BEEN IN
CAPTIVITY FOR
THE PAST FIFTY
YEARS. I'VE FOR-
GOTTEN MY
PURPOSE... WHO
I AM... PLEASE,
TELL ME...

!GASP! FIFTY
YEARS? WE NEED
TO SPEAK TO
GRANDFATHER
RIGHT AWAY!

WE MAY HAVE TO
CUT THIS SHORT.
THE DATA IS FRAG-
MENTING FAST...

I'M NOT
LEAVING
UNTIL I
KNOW EVERY-
THING.

HELLO, SON.
FIFTY YEARS IS
A LONG TIME
TO WANDER IN
THE DARK.

THEN KNOW
EVERYTHING,
YOU SHALL...

YEAH, CAN WE GET THE ABRIDGED VERSION, PROFESSOR? WE'RE SHORT ON TIME HERE.

OF COURSE. IN SHORT, SHADOW, YOU ARE THE ULTIMATE PROTECTOR OF LIFE ON MOBIUS.

I AM?

INITIALLY, YOUR BODY WAS TO BE THE SOURCE FOR A CURE. MARIA DEVELOPED THE RARE **NEURO-IMMUNO-DEFICIENCY SYNDROME**. THERE IS NO CURE, AND I HOPED TO MAKE ONE IN YOU.

BUT THERE WERE BARRIERS I COULD NOT BREAK IN MY RESEARCH. DESPERATE, I SOUGHT THE AID OF **BLACK DOOM**, A MONSTROUS ALIEN WHO WANTED YOU TO BE HIS GREATEST WEAPON. HE HELPED ME CREATE YOU ... THE ULTIMATE LIFEFORM ... AND GIVE YOU HIS RARE SKILLS IN CHAOS CONTROL. LITTLE DID BLACK DOOM KNOW THAT I WOULD LATER CHANGE YOU TO BE A CHAMPION FOR MOBIUS AGAINST HIM AND HIS **BLACK ARMS**. THE BLACK ARMS WILL RETURN TO MOBIUS IN **FIFTY YEARS**.

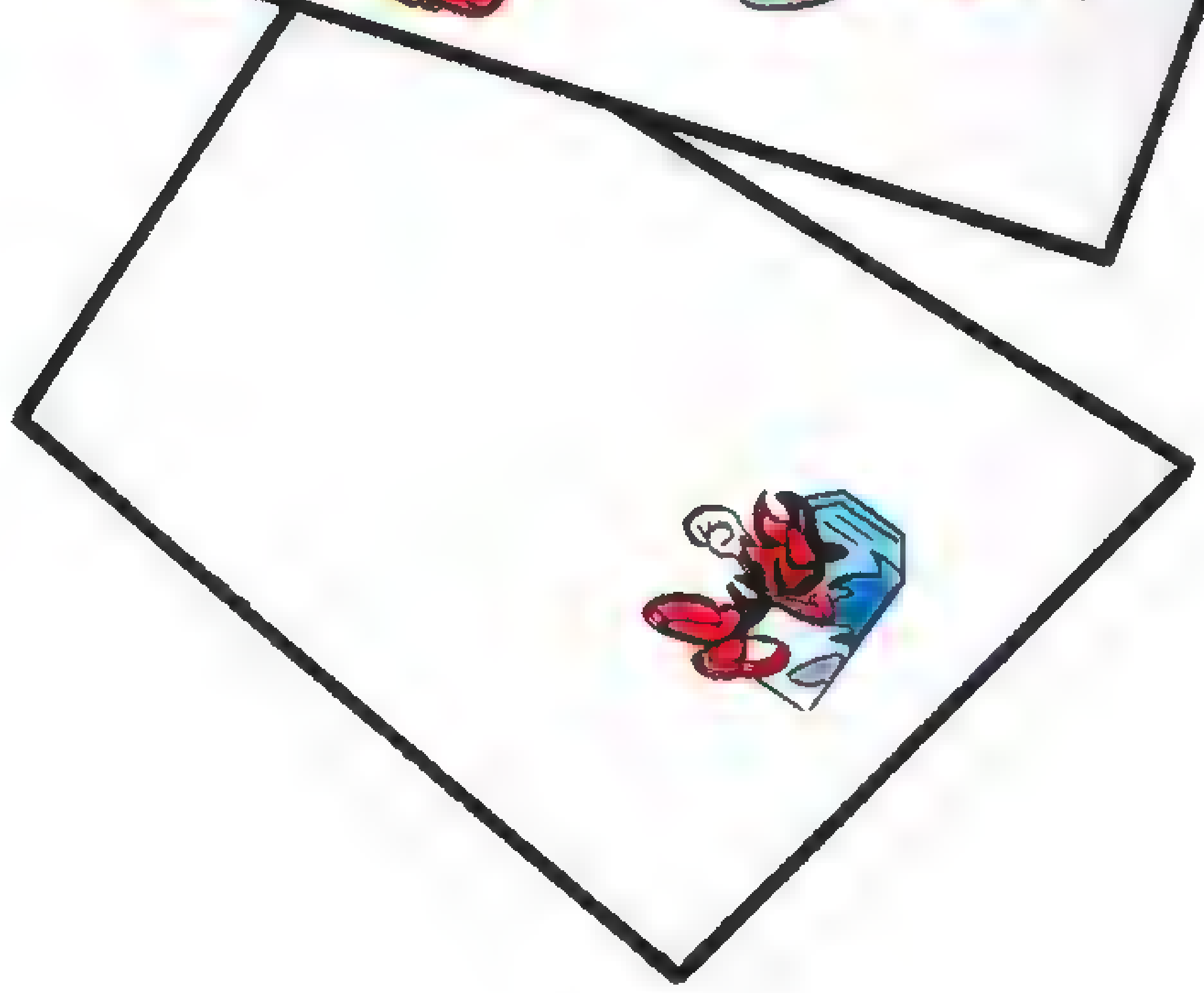
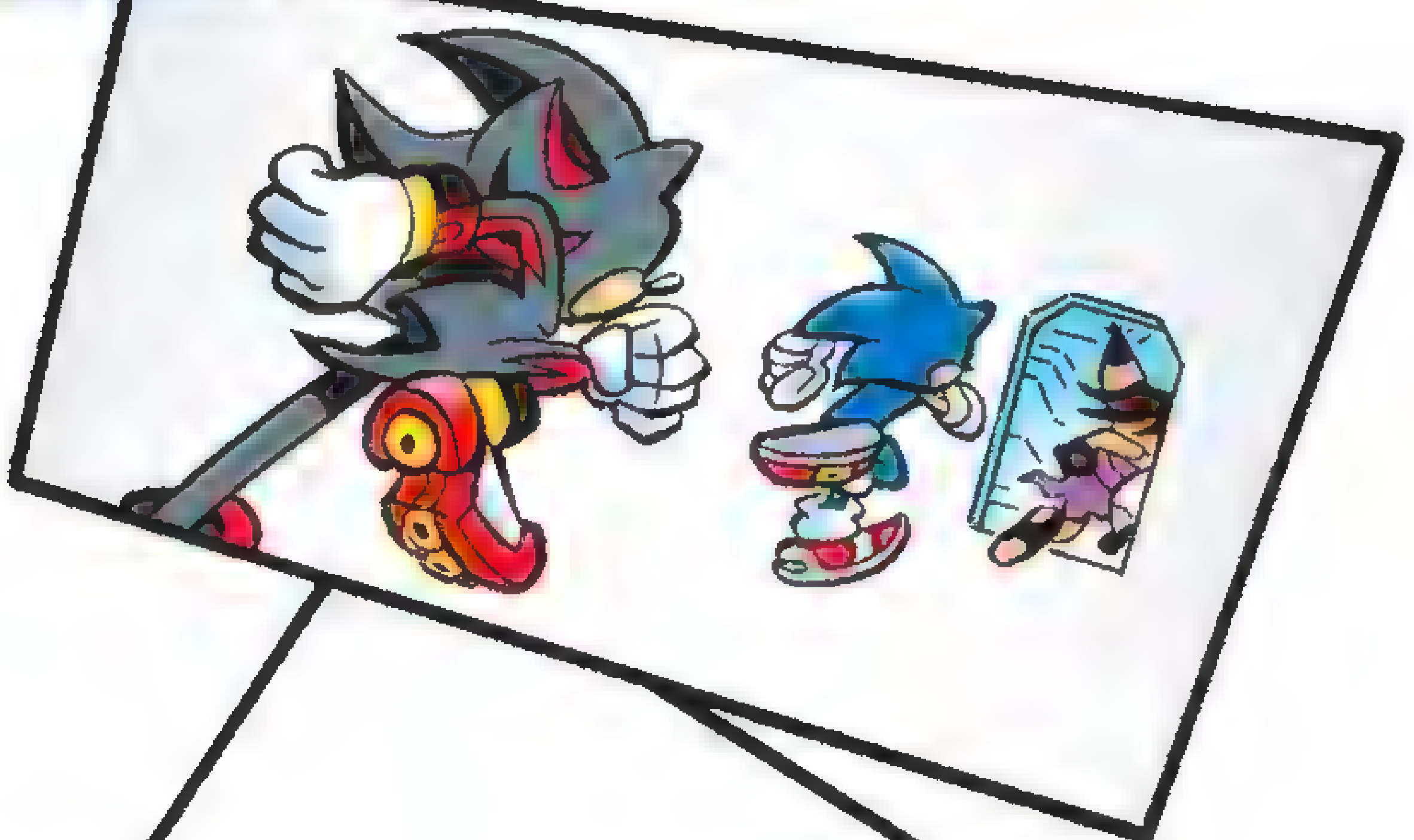
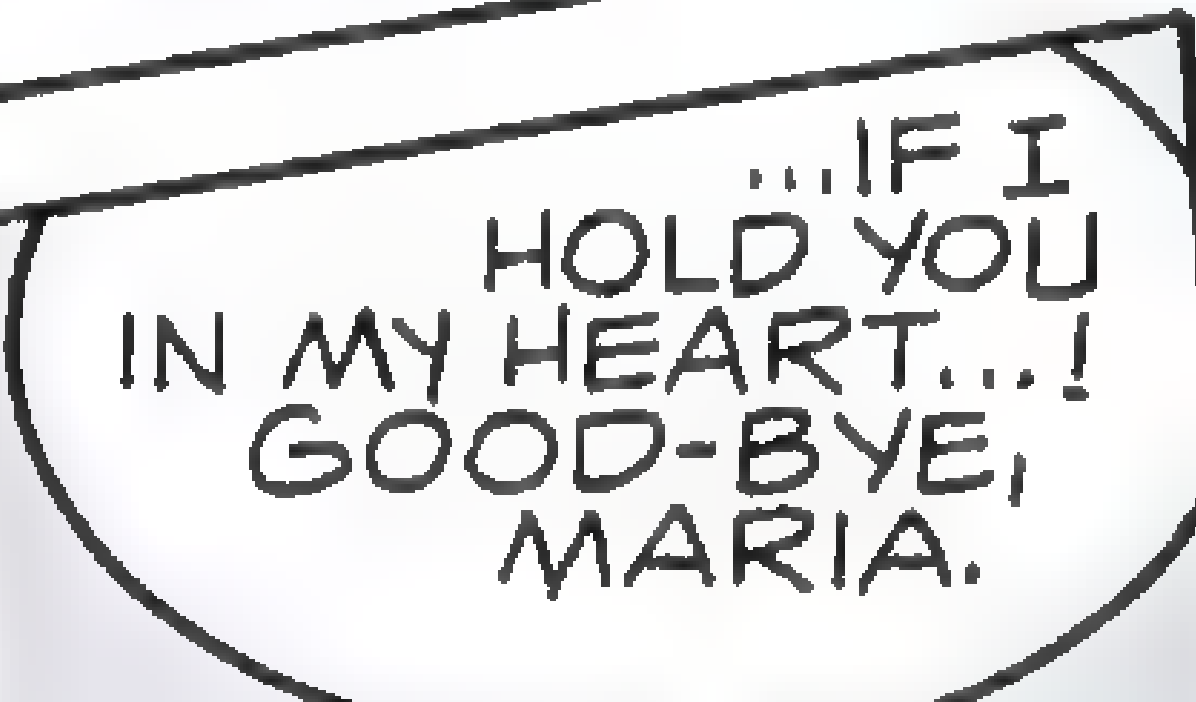
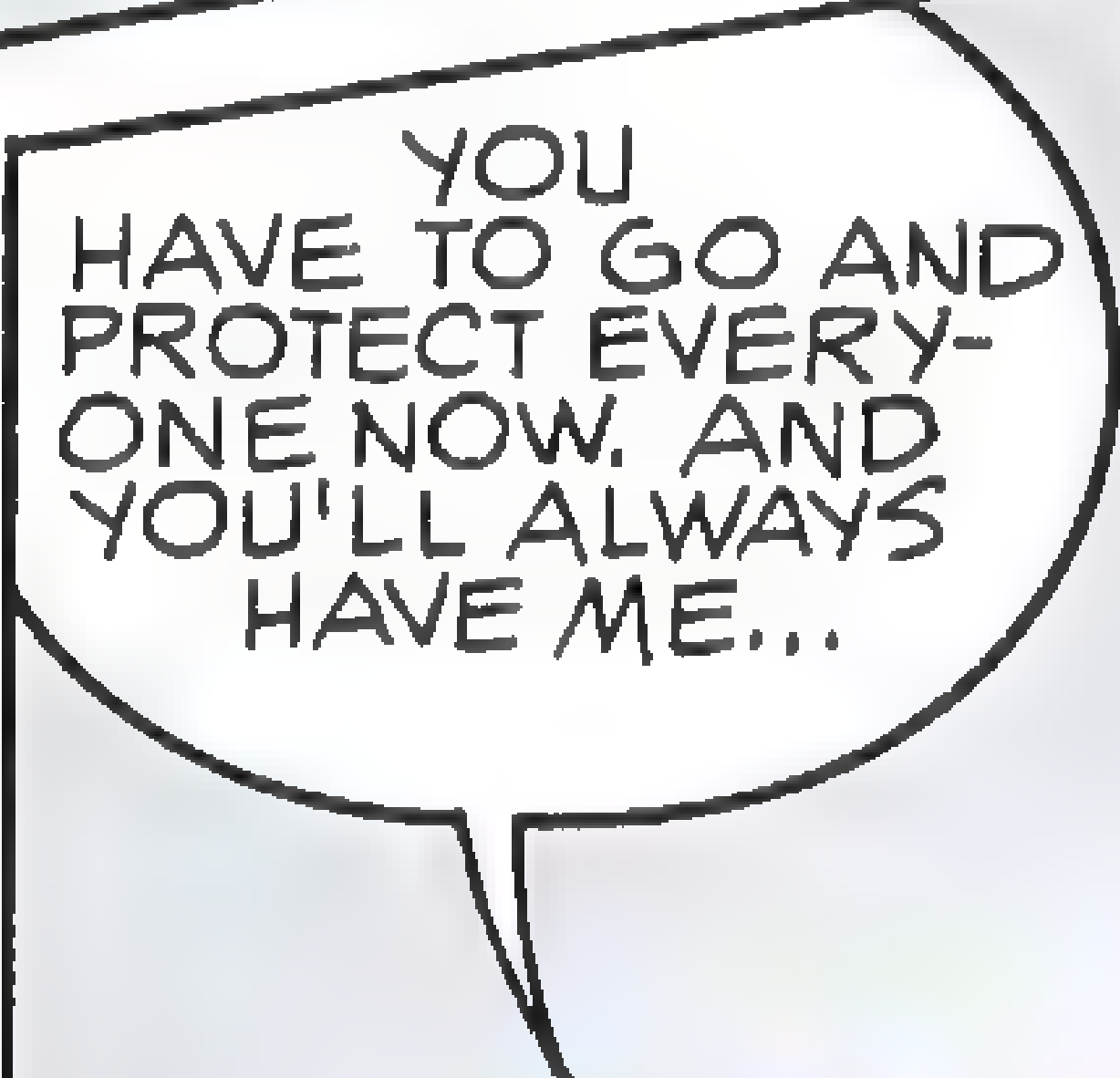
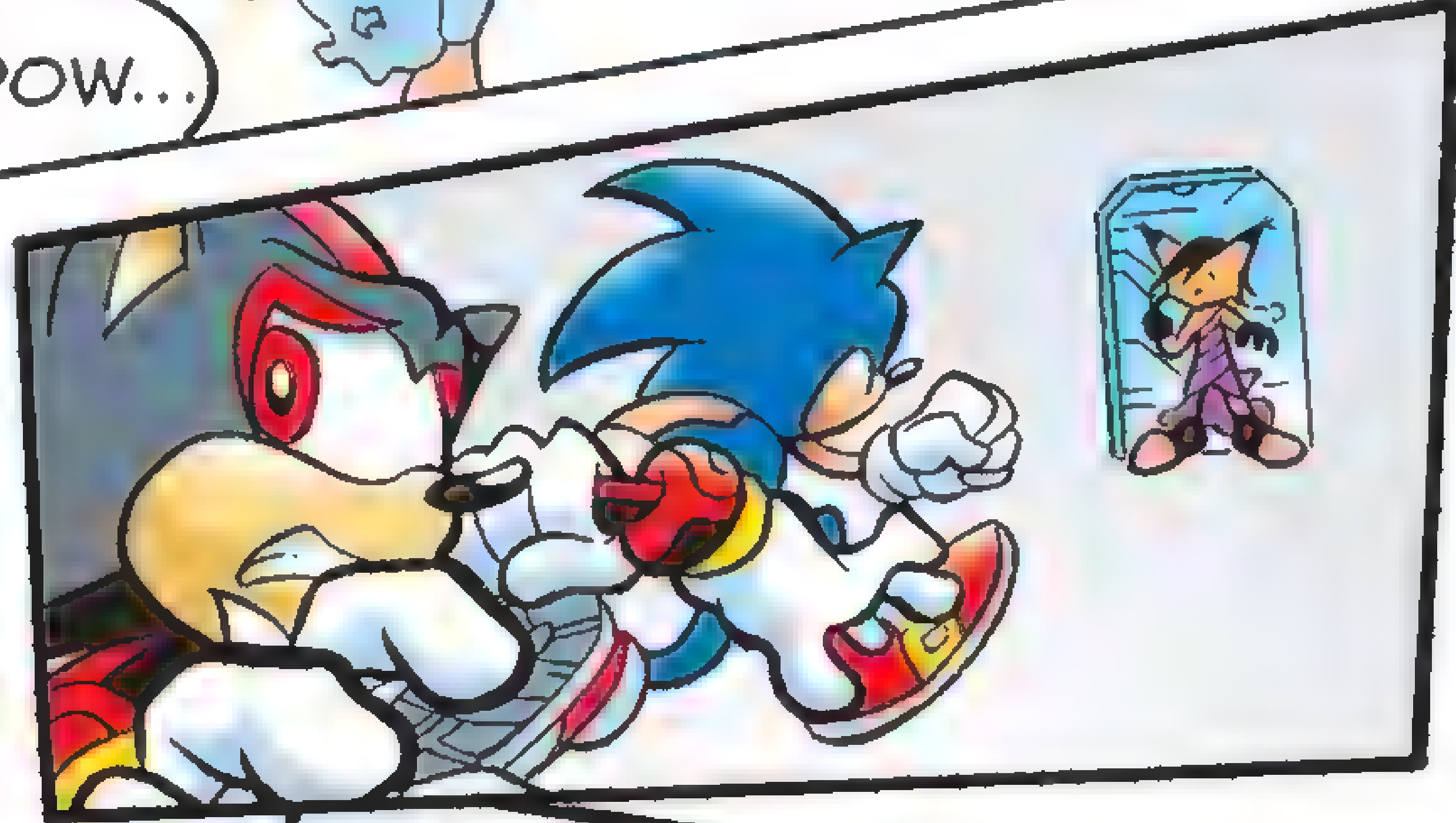
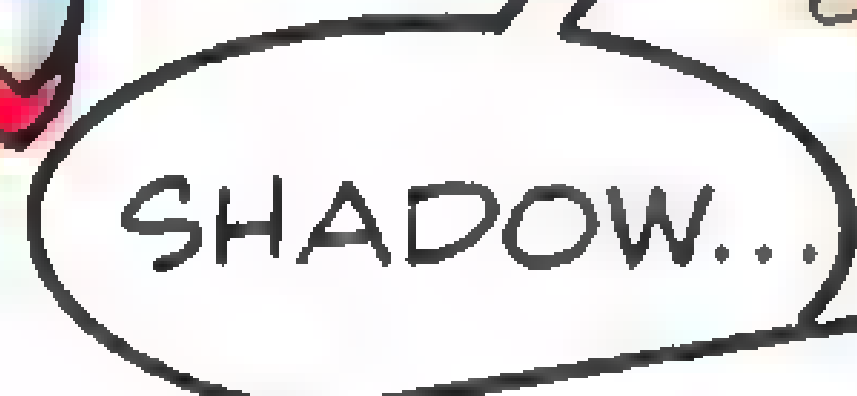
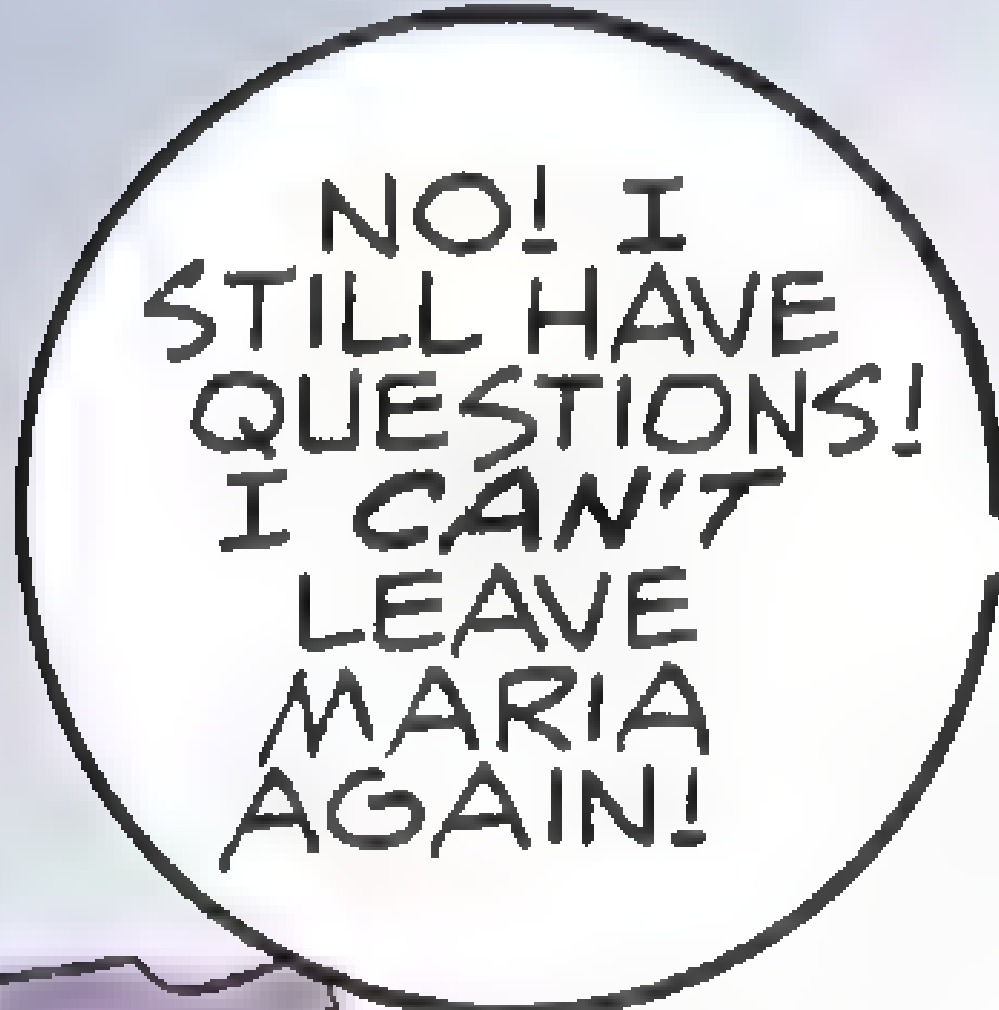
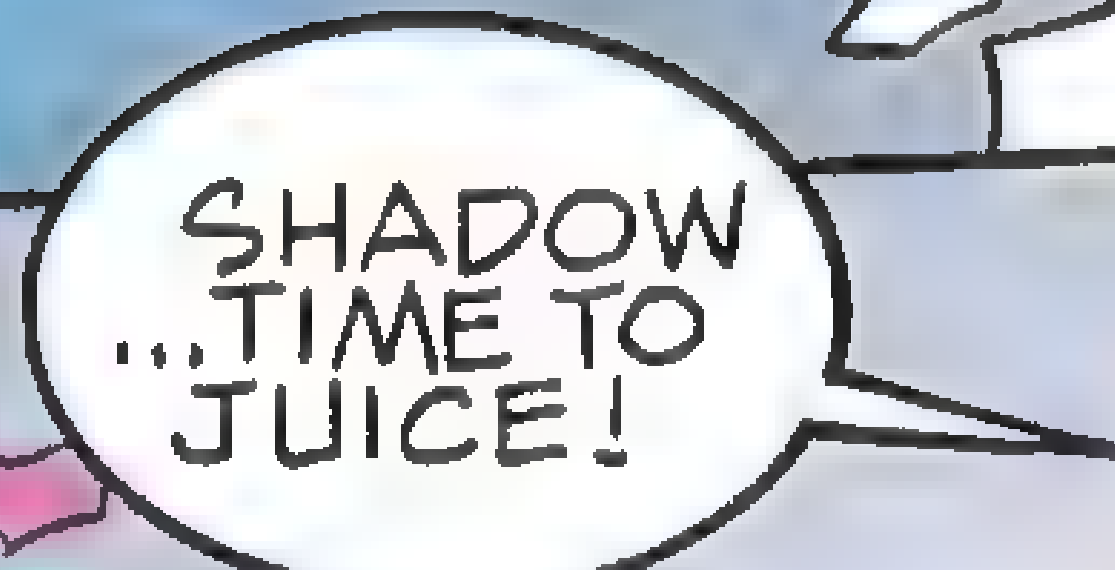
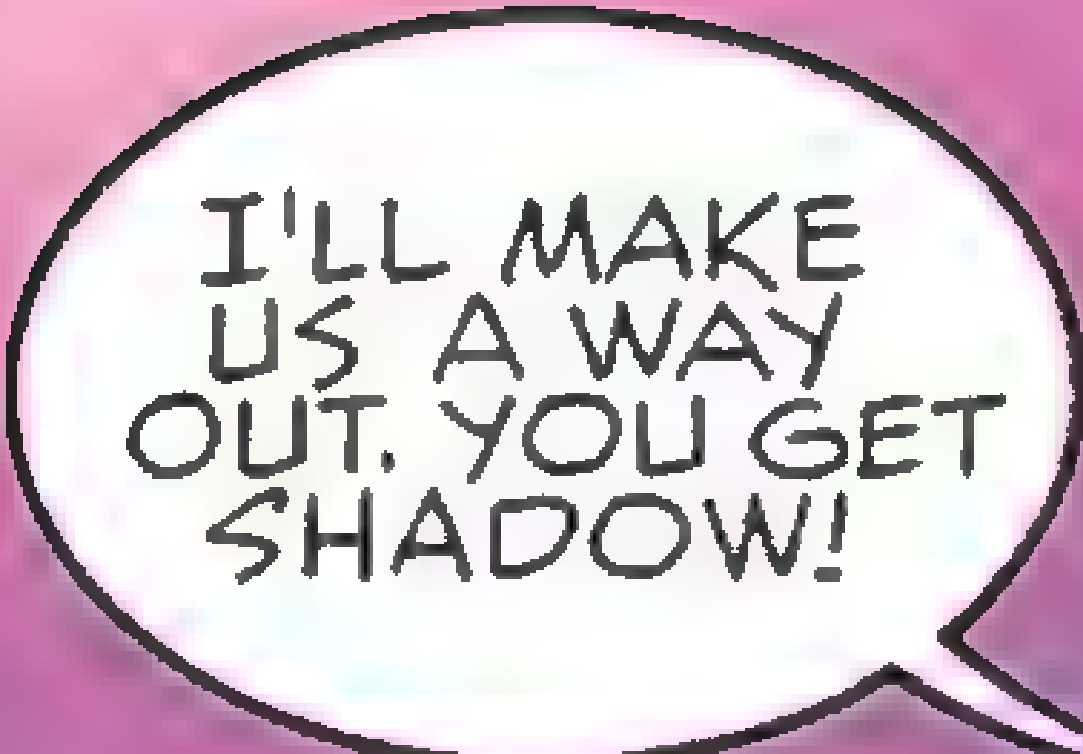
FIFTY YEARS? THEN THEY'RE LATE, OR...

NO WORRIES, NICOLE, THEY'RE BUSY FIGHTING WITH THE XORDA.* THEY WON'T BE COMING HERE ANY TIME SOON.

SO... WHAT AM I, THEN? A CURE? A WEAPON?

YOU ARE A SAVIOR, SHADOW. I'M SO SORRY SO MUCH HAS TO BE PUT ON YOUR SHOULDERS, BUT YOU ARE WELL PREPARED. YOU WERE CREATED WITH MY LOVE FOR THE PEOPLE OF MOBIUS SO THAT YOU MAY PROTECT THEM.

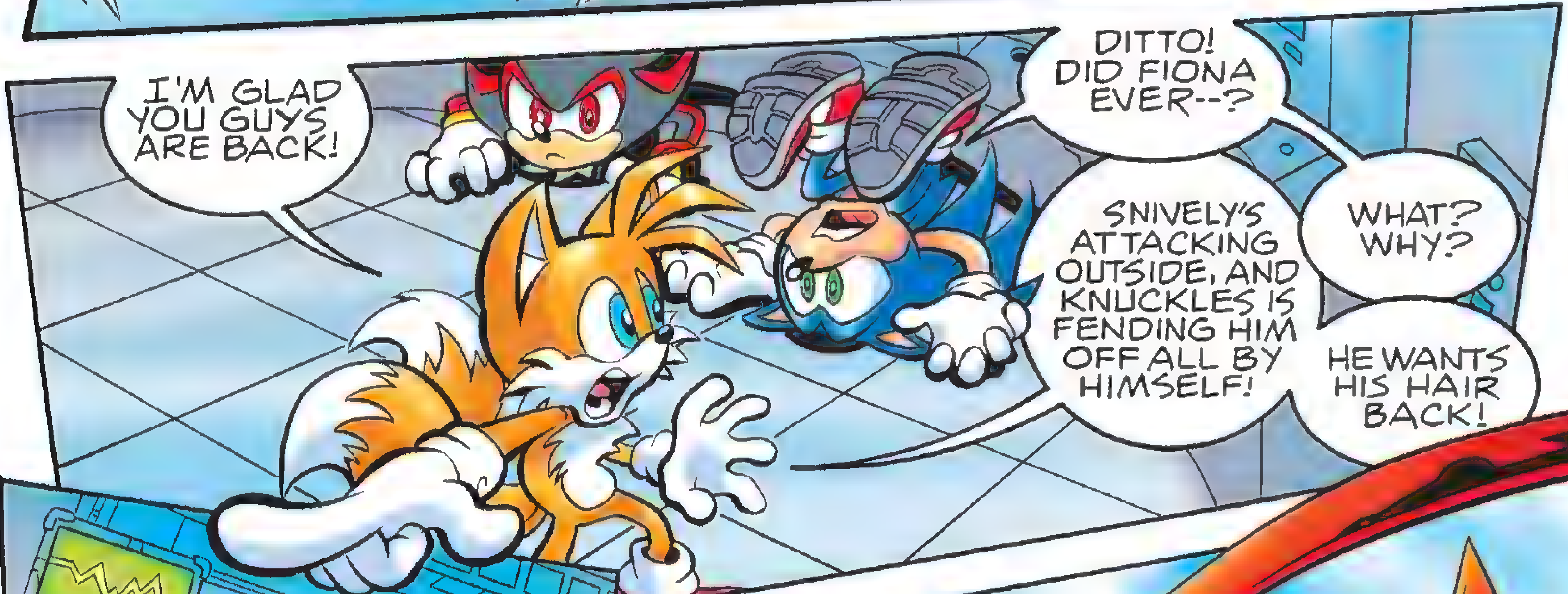
*EQUALLY DANGEROUS ALIEN MARAUDERS, AS WE DISCOVERED LAST ISSUE!





WHOO-HA!
WHAT A
RIDE!

SONIC!



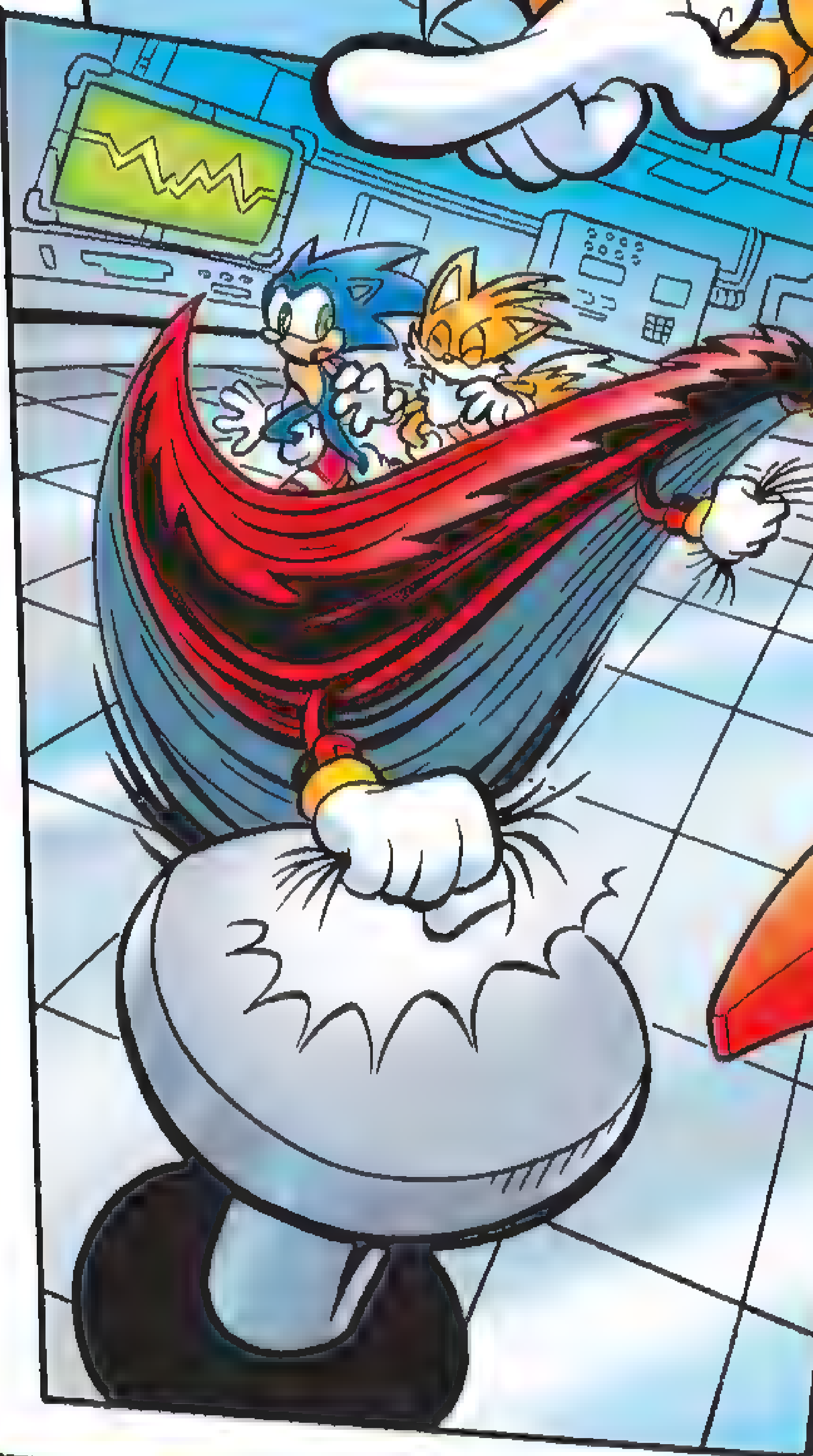
I'M GLAD
YOU GUYS
ARE BACK!

DITTO!
DID FIONA
EVER--?

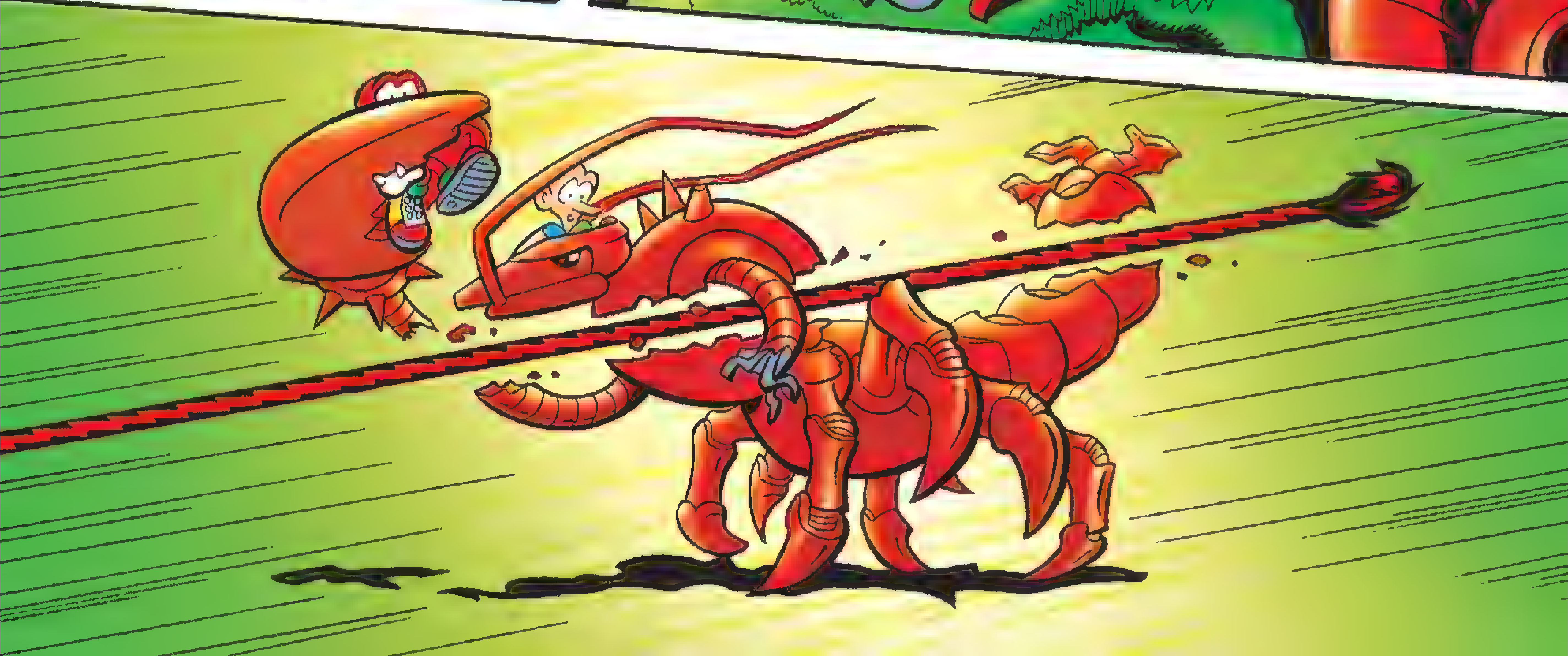
SNIVELY'S
ATTACKING
OUTSIDE, AND
KNUCKLES IS
FENDING HIM
OFF ALL BY
HIMSELF!

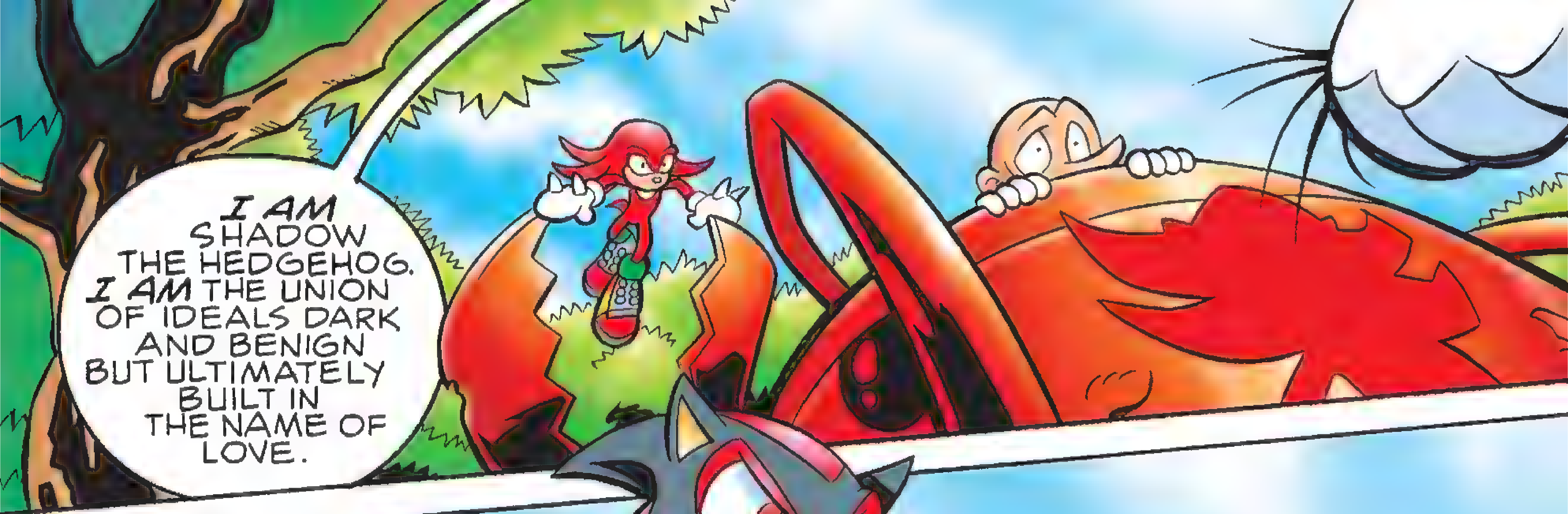
WHAT?
WHY?

HE WANTS
HIS HAIR
BACK!



ALL I
WANTED WAS
MY HAIR, YOU IDIOT!
NOW YOU'LL BE
CRUSHED FOR
WASTING MY
TIME!





ONE MYSTERY IS SOLVED WHILE ANOTHER REMAINS!
COME BACK FOR MORE, WHEN WE SEE WHAT IS THE
"TRUTH OF THE HEART!"



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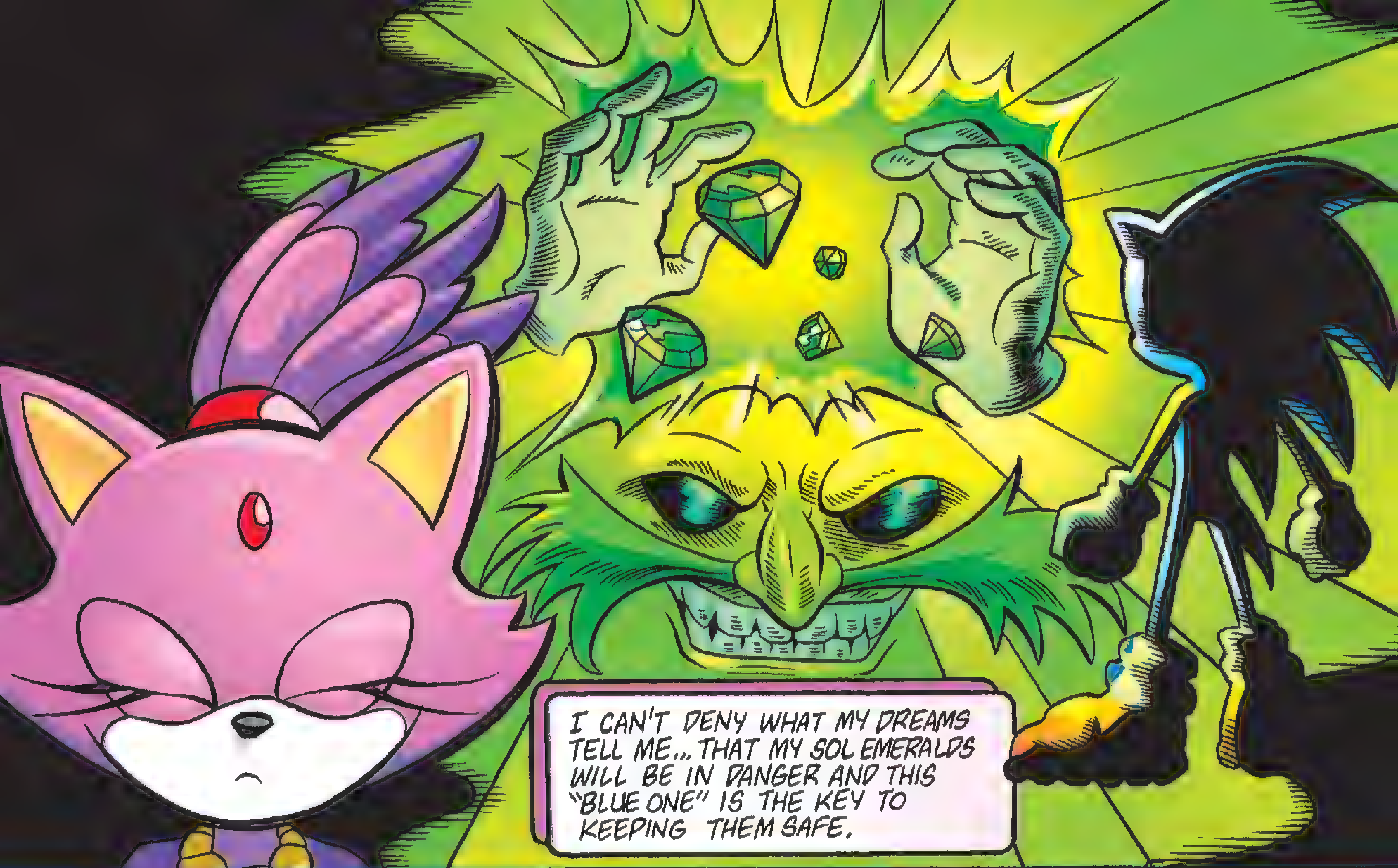
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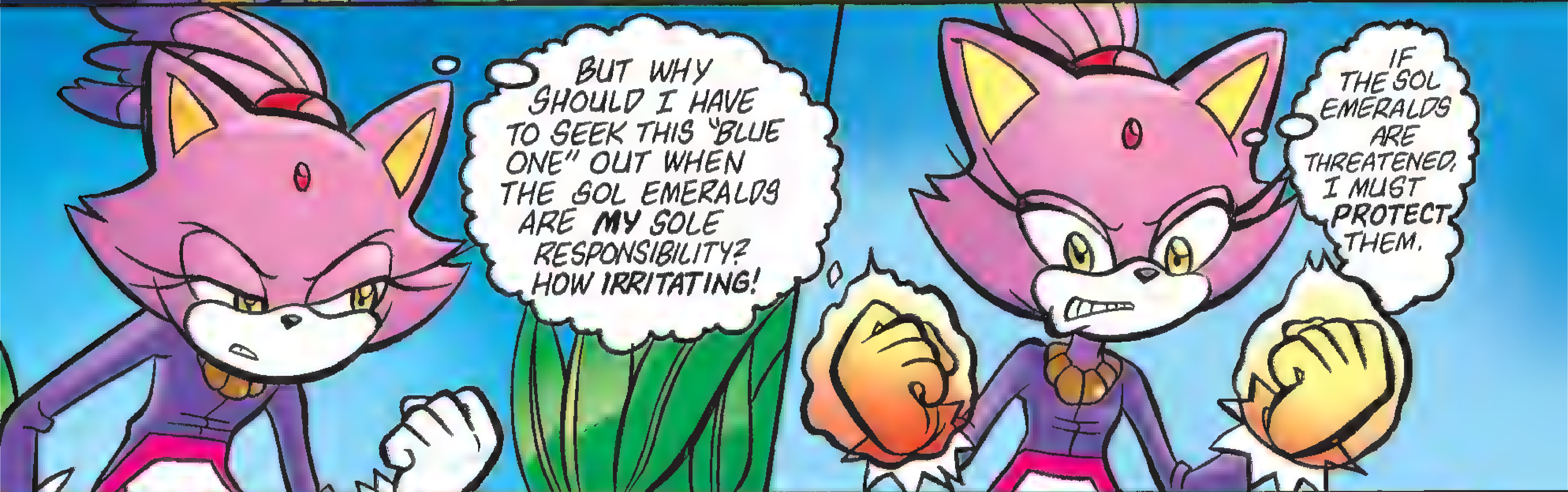
THIS MUST
BE THE
PLACE
WHERE MY
DREAM SAID
HE'D BE...

...THE
MYSTICAL
"BLUE
ONE".

Hmph,
SO THIS "BLUE
ONE" LIVES IN SUCH
A LITTLE TOWN. IF IT
WEREN'T FOR MY DREAMS
I WOULD NEVER
BELIEVE IT.

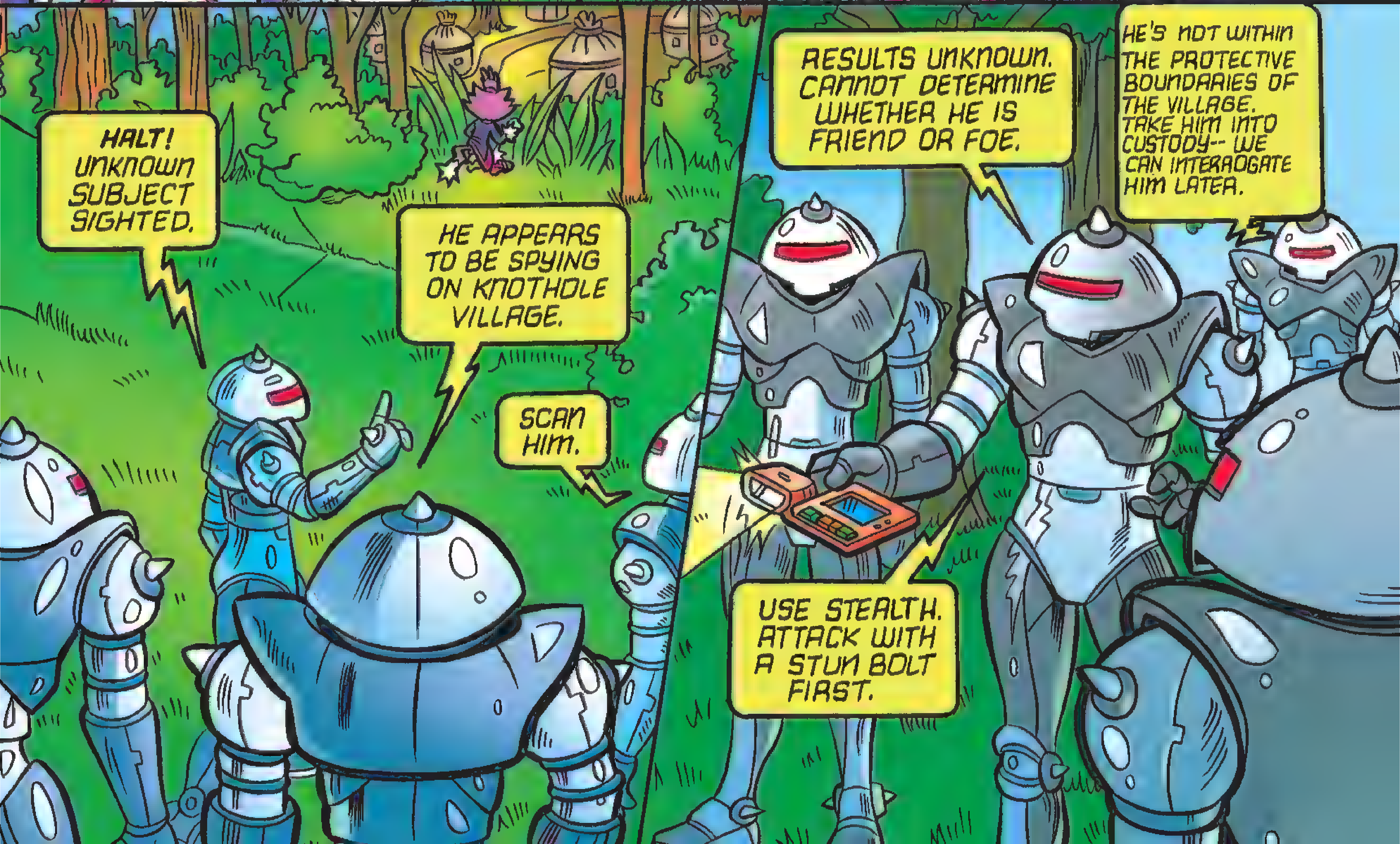


I CAN'T DENY WHAT MY DREAMS TELL ME... THAT MY SOL EMERALDS WILL BE IN DANGER AND THIS "BLUE ONE" IS THE KEY TO KEEPING THEM SAFE.



BUT WHY SHOULD I HAVE TO SEEK THIS "BLUE ONE" OUT WHEN THE SOL EMERALDS ARE MY SOLE RESPONSIBILITY? HOW IRRITATING!

IF THE SOL EMERALDS ARE THREATENED, I MUST PROTECT THEM.



HALT! UNKNOWN SUBJECT SIGHTED.

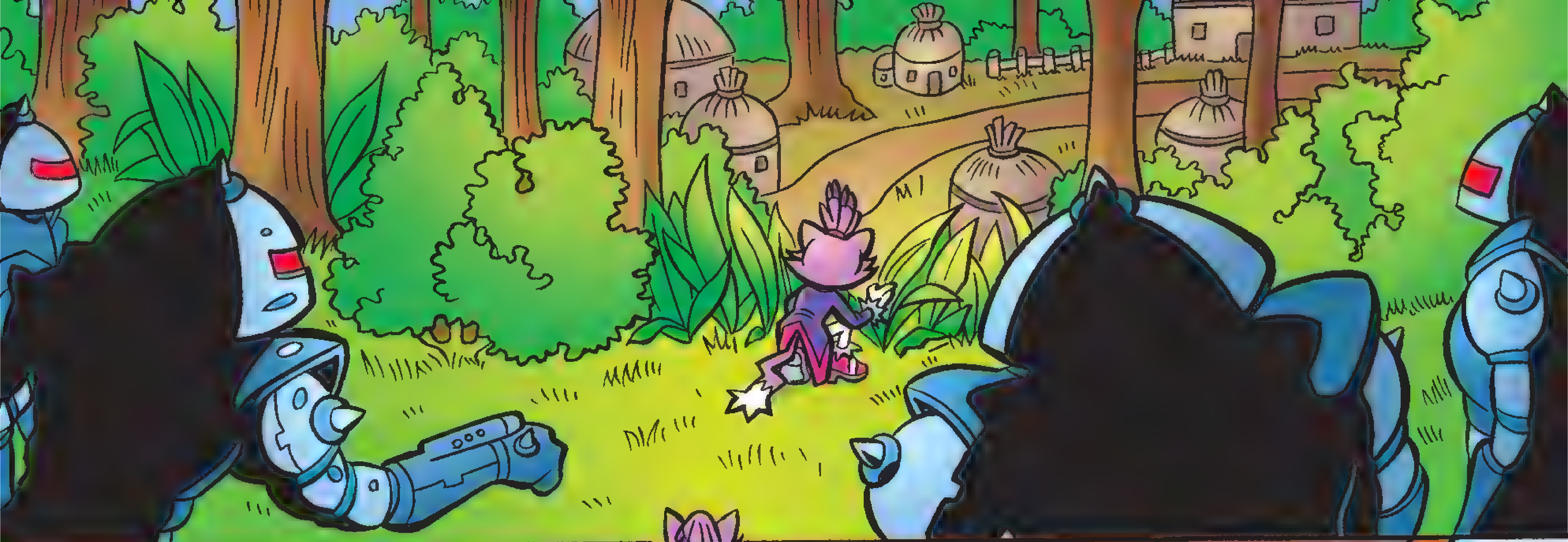
HE APPEARS TO BE SPYING ON KNOTHOLE VILLAGE.

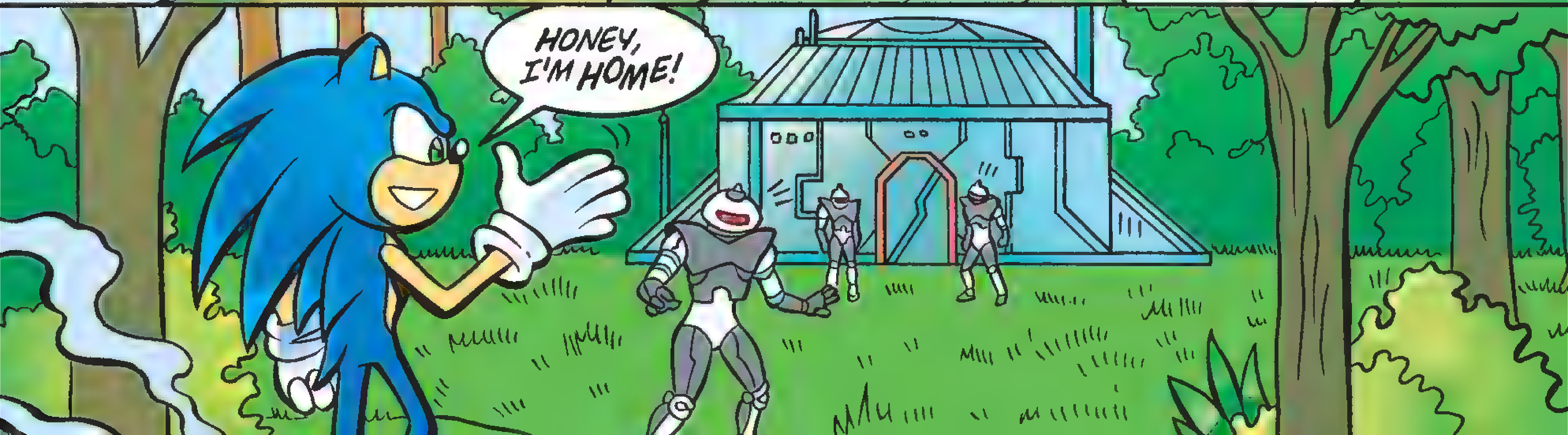
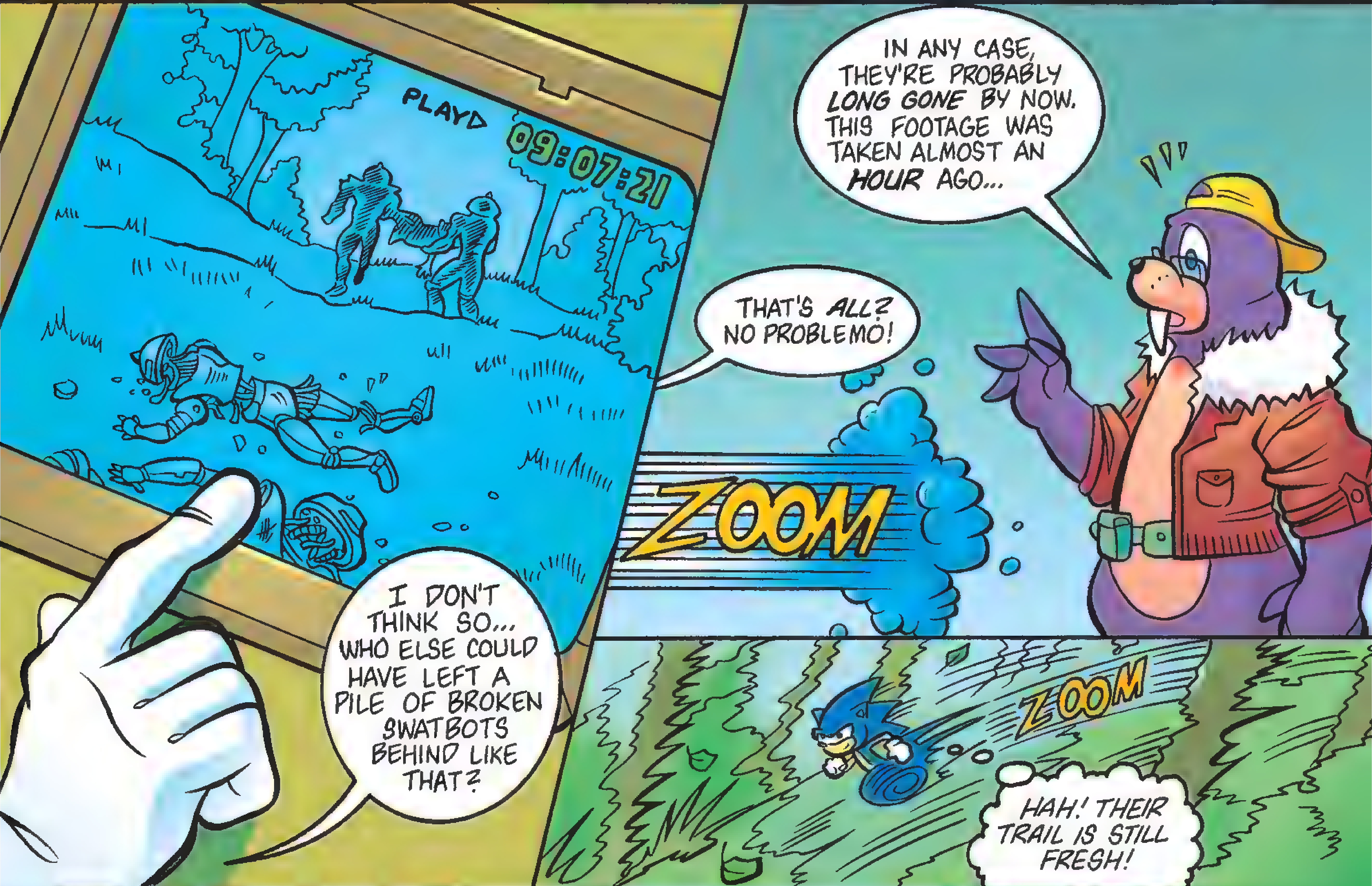
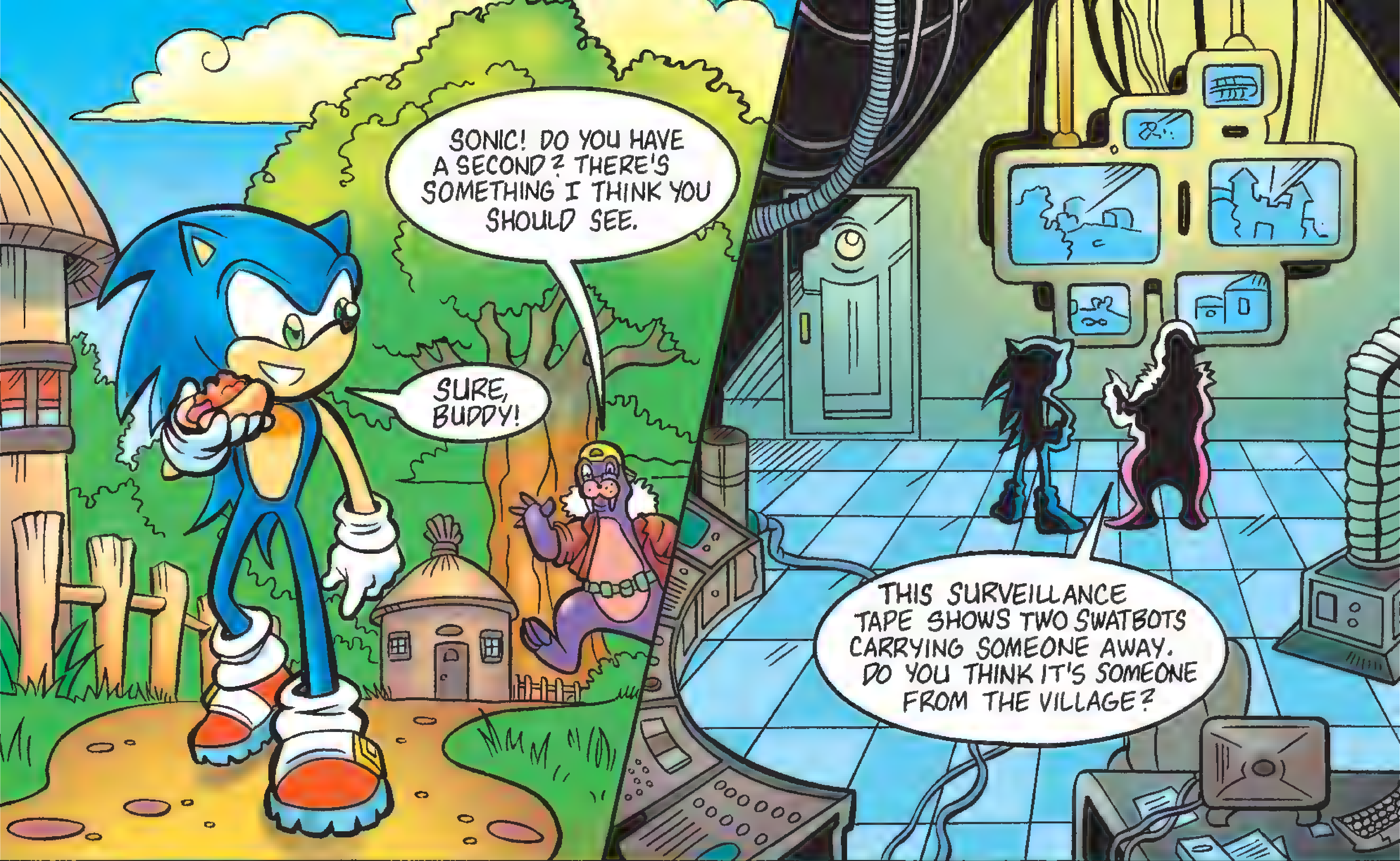
SCAN HIM.

RESULTS UNKNOWN. CANNOT DETERMINE WHETHER HE IS FRIEND OR FOE.

HE'S NOT WITHIN THE PROTECTIVE BOUNDARIES OF THE VILLAGE. TAKE HIM INTO CUSTODY-- WE CAN INTERROGATE HIM LATER.

USE STEALTH. ATTACK WITH A STUN BOLT FIRST.





INSIDE...

DR. ROBOTNIK CREATED US TO RESEARCH AND MONITOR BIO ORGANIC LIFE FORMS BUT I AM CONCERNED THAT MY SCANS ARE MALFUNCTIONING. HER PHYSICAL DATA READINGS ARE... BIZARRE. IT'S ALMOST AS IF SHE WERE FROM ANOTHER WORLD.

ODD...

I DON'T BELIEVE IT'S A MALFUNCTION -- HER MENTAL READINGS ARE STRANGE. HER THOUGHTS REVEAL SOME KIND OF FIXATION ON THESE STRANGE LOOKING EMERALDS.

ROBOTNIK WILL BE MOST INTERESTED IN THIS INFORMATION. IF WE CAN GET HER TO SPEAK THROUGH INTERROGATION...

DO NOT BE TOO HARSH. HER READINGS ALSO SHOW AN IMPRESSIVE STRENGTH. WE MAY YET BE ABLE TO RECRUIT HER FOR ROBOTNIK.

NOW TO SEE WHAT'S GOING ON INSIDE THIS LITTLE BUNKER...

WHERE'S MY MANTLE?!
HOW DARE
YOU REMOVE IT!



KEEP READING FOR PART 2!

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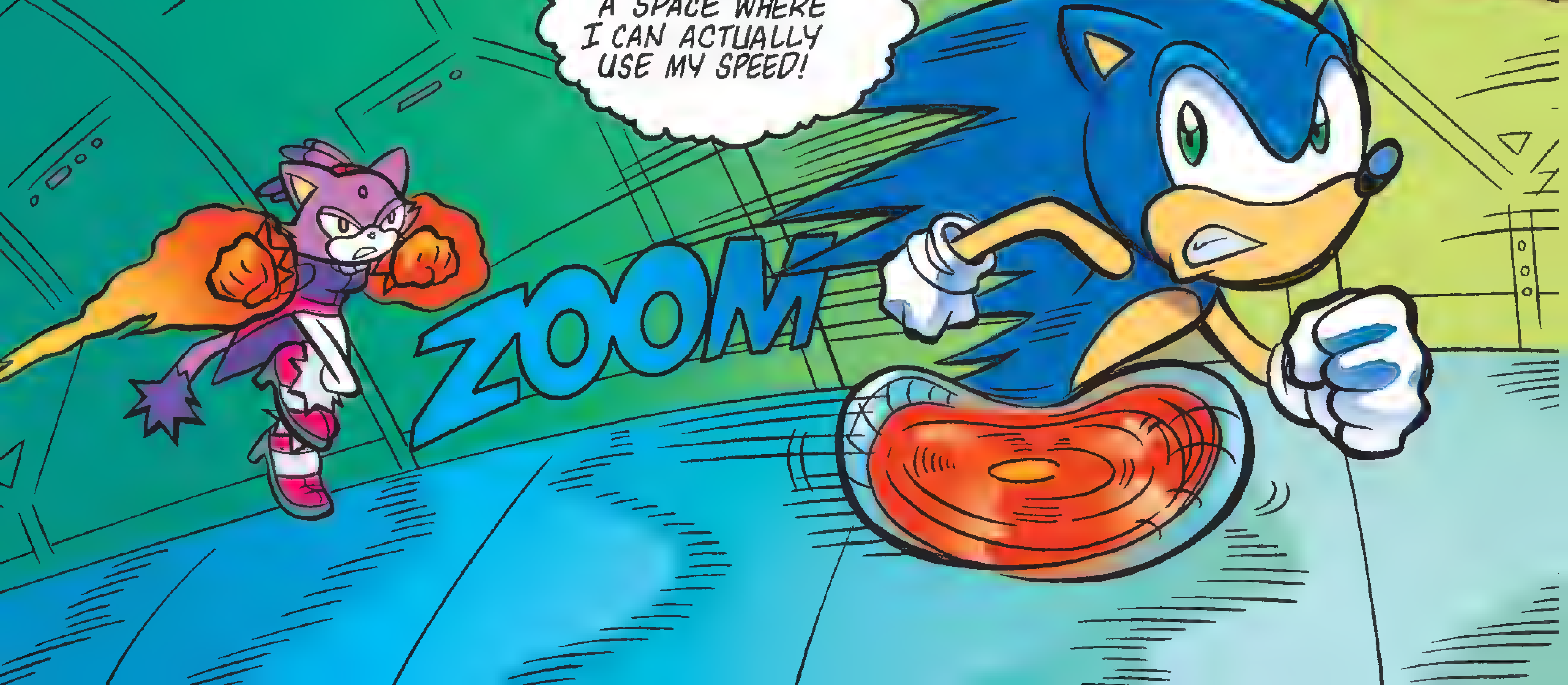
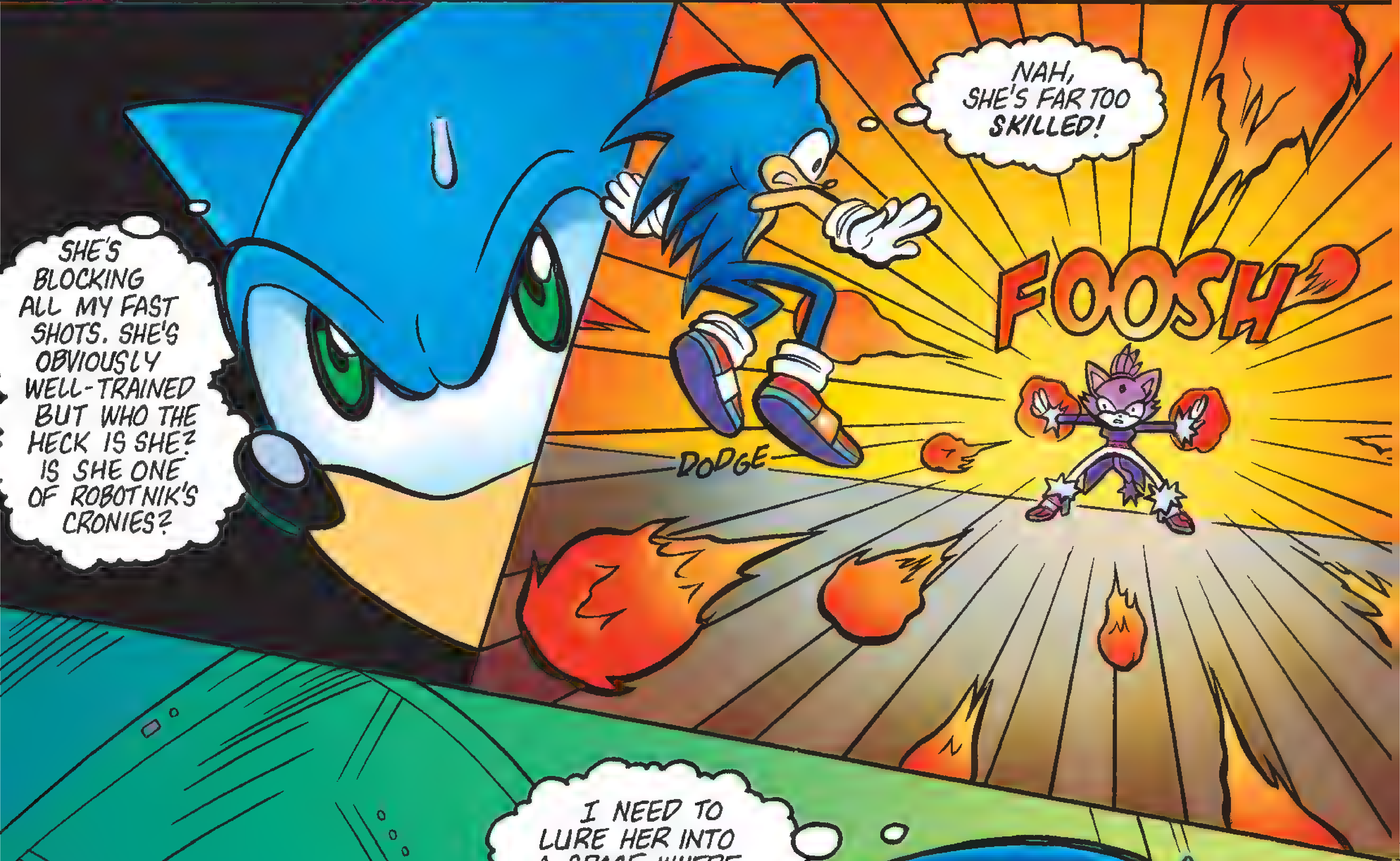
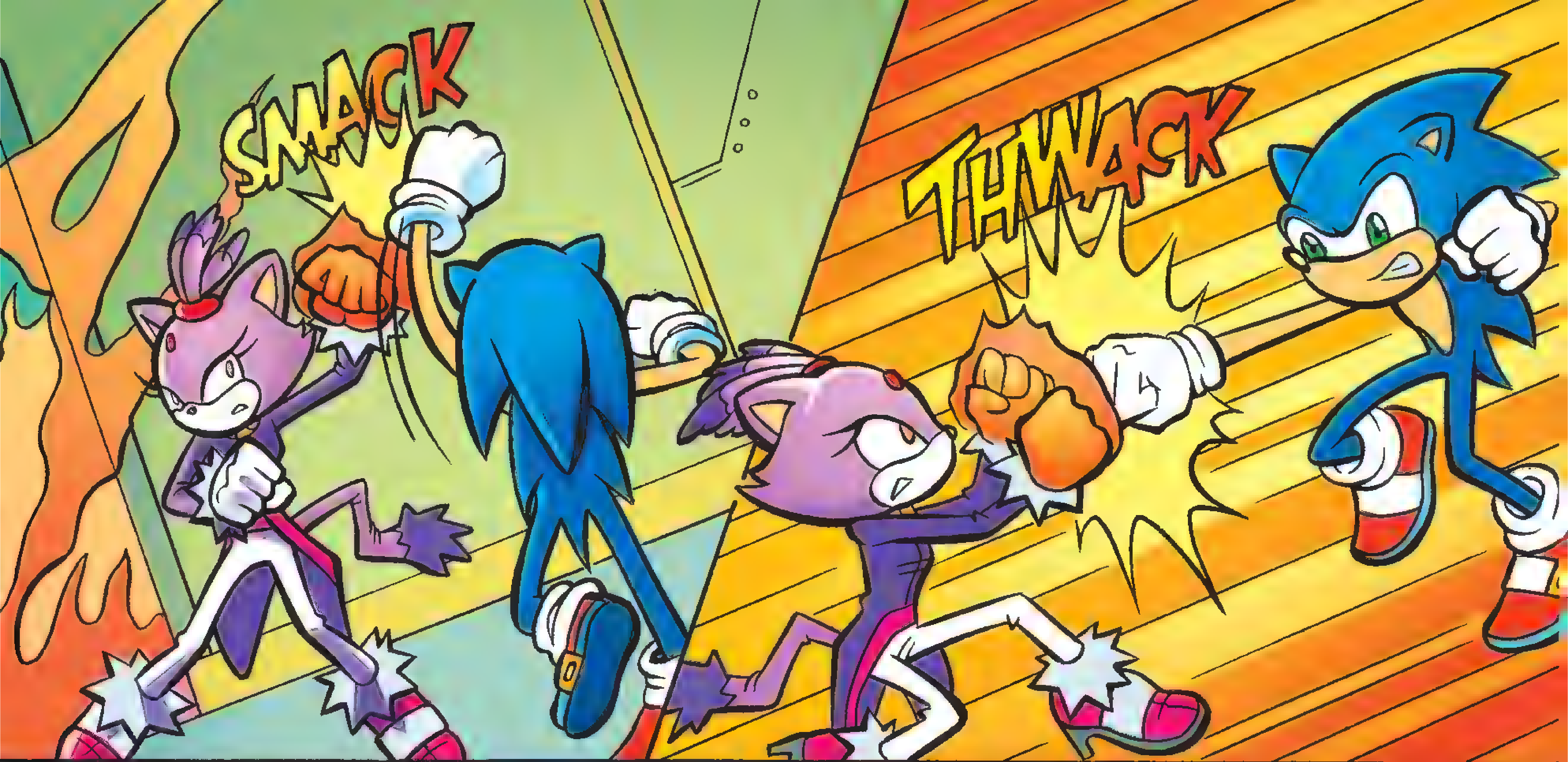
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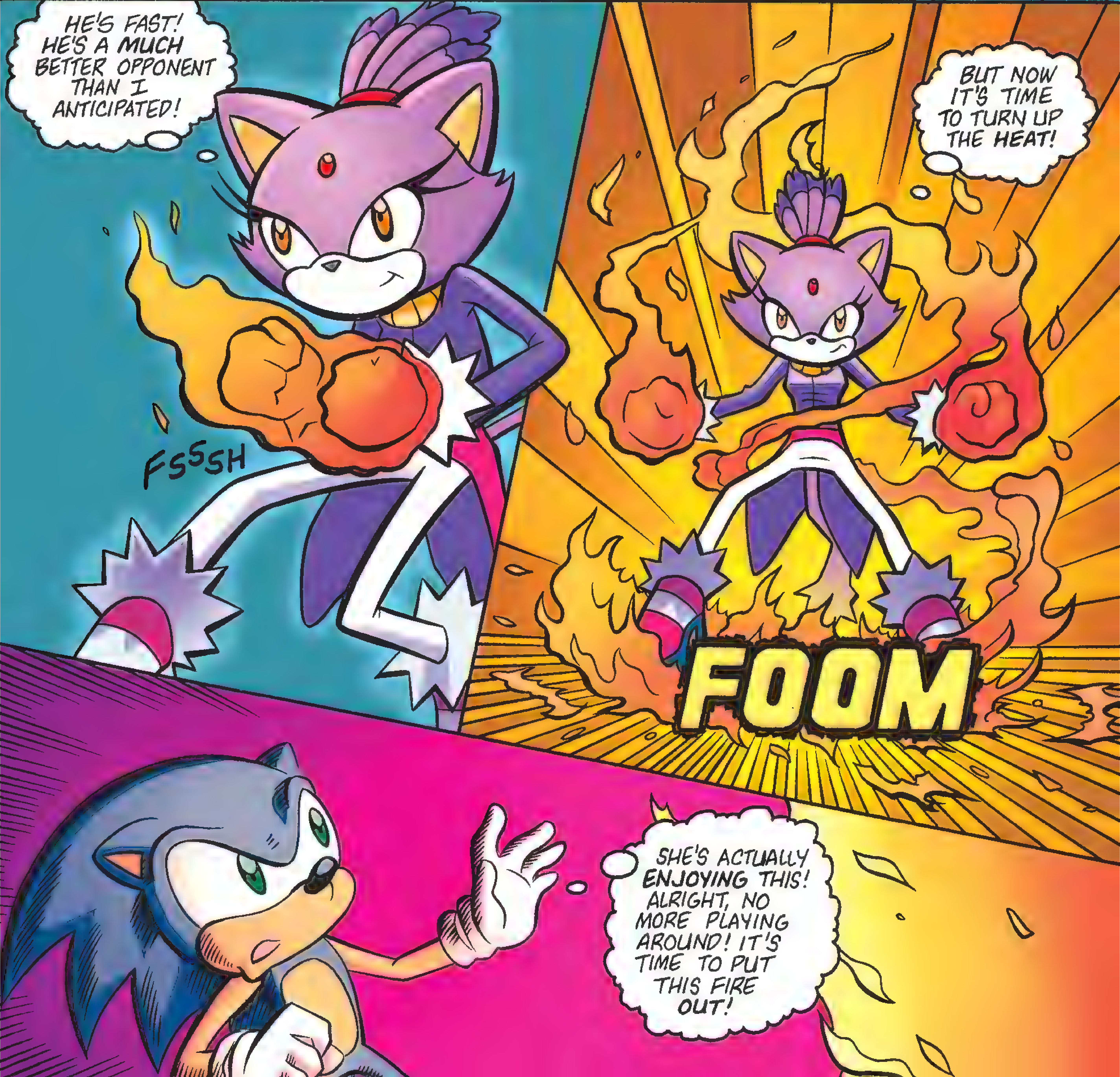
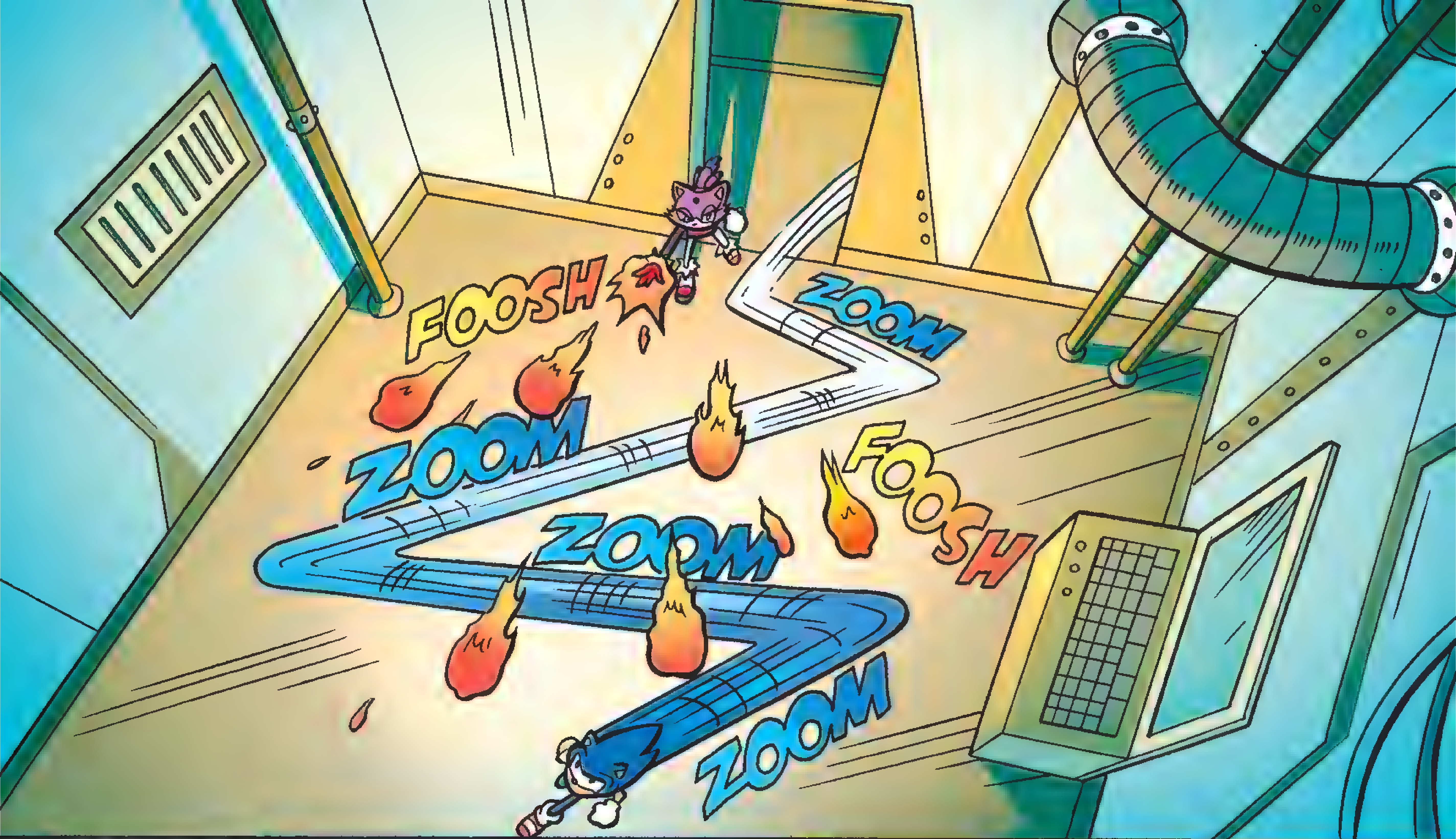




SHE'S
BLOCKING
ALL MY FAST
SHOTS. SHE'S
OBVIOUSLY
WELL-TRAINED
BUT WHO THE
HECK IS SHE?
IS SHE ONE
OF ROBOTNIK'S
CRONIES?

NAH,
SHE'S FAR TOO
SKILLED!

I NEED TO
LURE HER INTO
A SPACE WHERE
I CAN ACTUALLY
USE MY SPEED!



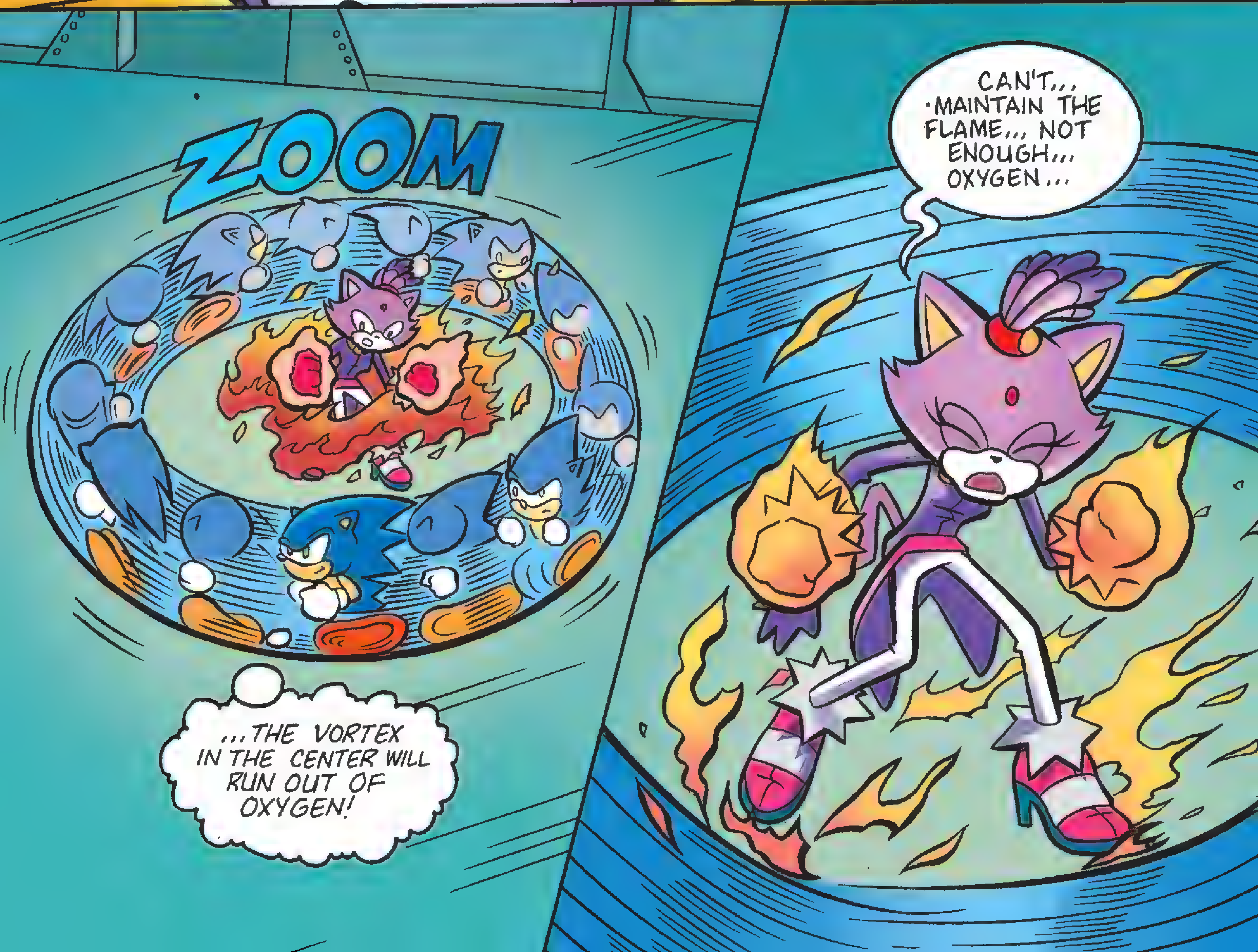
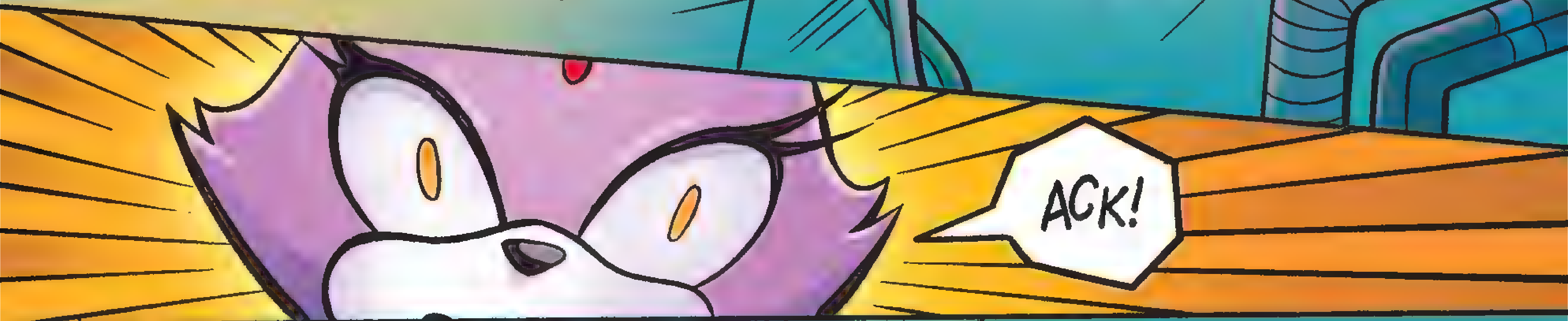
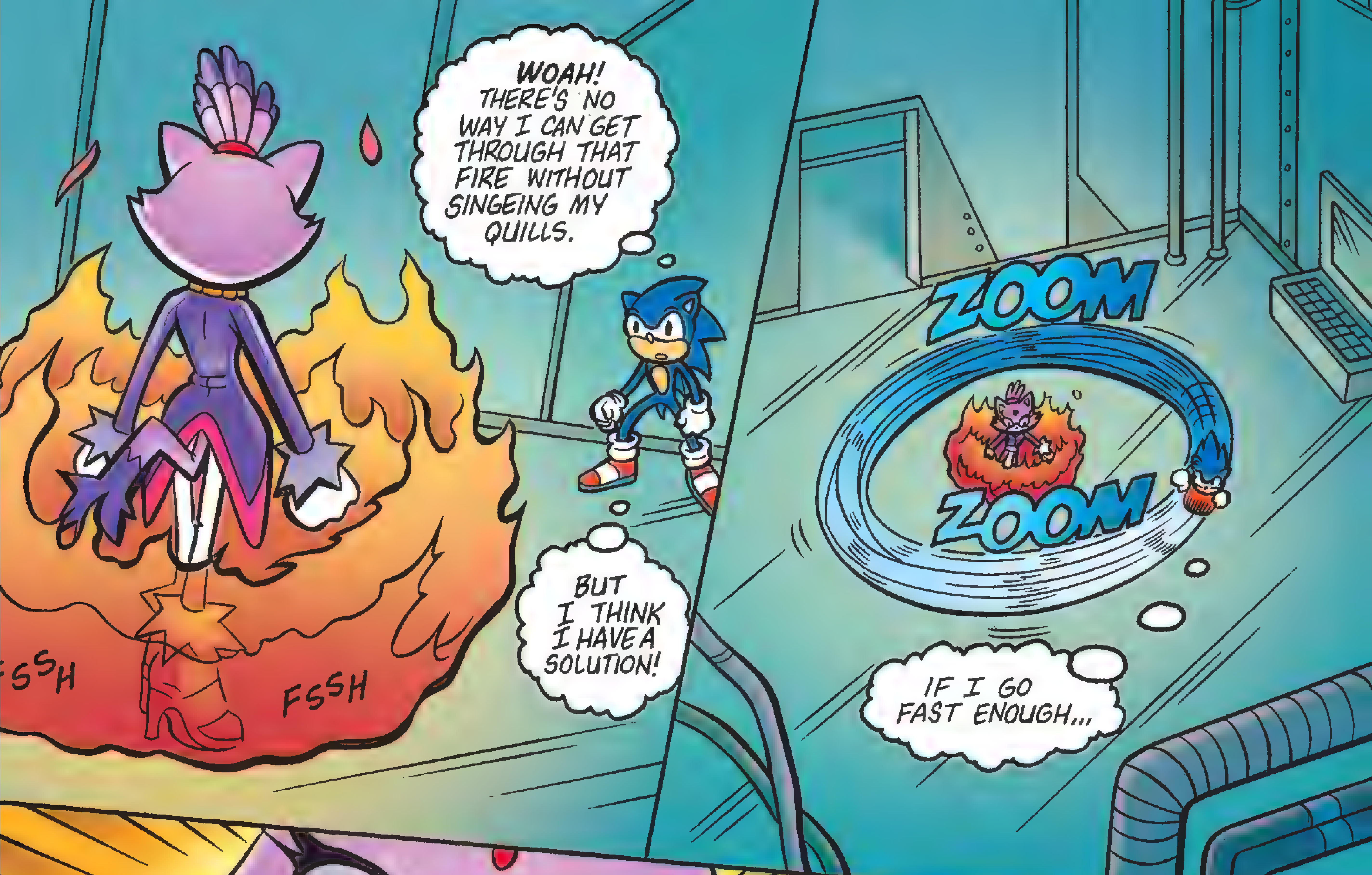
HE'S FAST!
HE'S A MUCH
BETTER OPPONENT
THAN I
ANTICIPATED!

BUT NOW
IT'S TIME
TO TURN UP
THE HEAT!

FSSSH

FOOM

SHE'S ACTUALLY
ENJOYING THIS!
ALRIGHT, NO
MORE PLAYING
AROUND! IT'S
TIME TO PUT
THIS FIRE
OUT!





YOU ARE
INDEED THE
ONE I HAVE
SOUGHT OUT.
NO QUESTION.

YOU'VE
BEEN LOOKING
FOR **ME**? WHO
ARE YOU
EXACTLY?

THE ONE
WHO WILL NOW
HAUNT YOUR DREAMS
THE WAY YOU HAVE
HAUNTED **MINE**!
FAREWELL,
SONIC...

...UNTIL
I HAVE NEED
OF YOU!

WHAT
THE--? SHE'S
GONE!

Huh.
NO ONE'S
GOING TO BELIEVE
THIS.

HAUNT
MY DREAMS,
Huh? I
WONDER...

FOOSH

PHEW

Hmm

THE END

SONIC RIDERS

PART 1
OF 2

HA!

C'MON
YA STUPID
BOTS!

CAN'T
YOU GO ANY
FASTER THAN
THAT?

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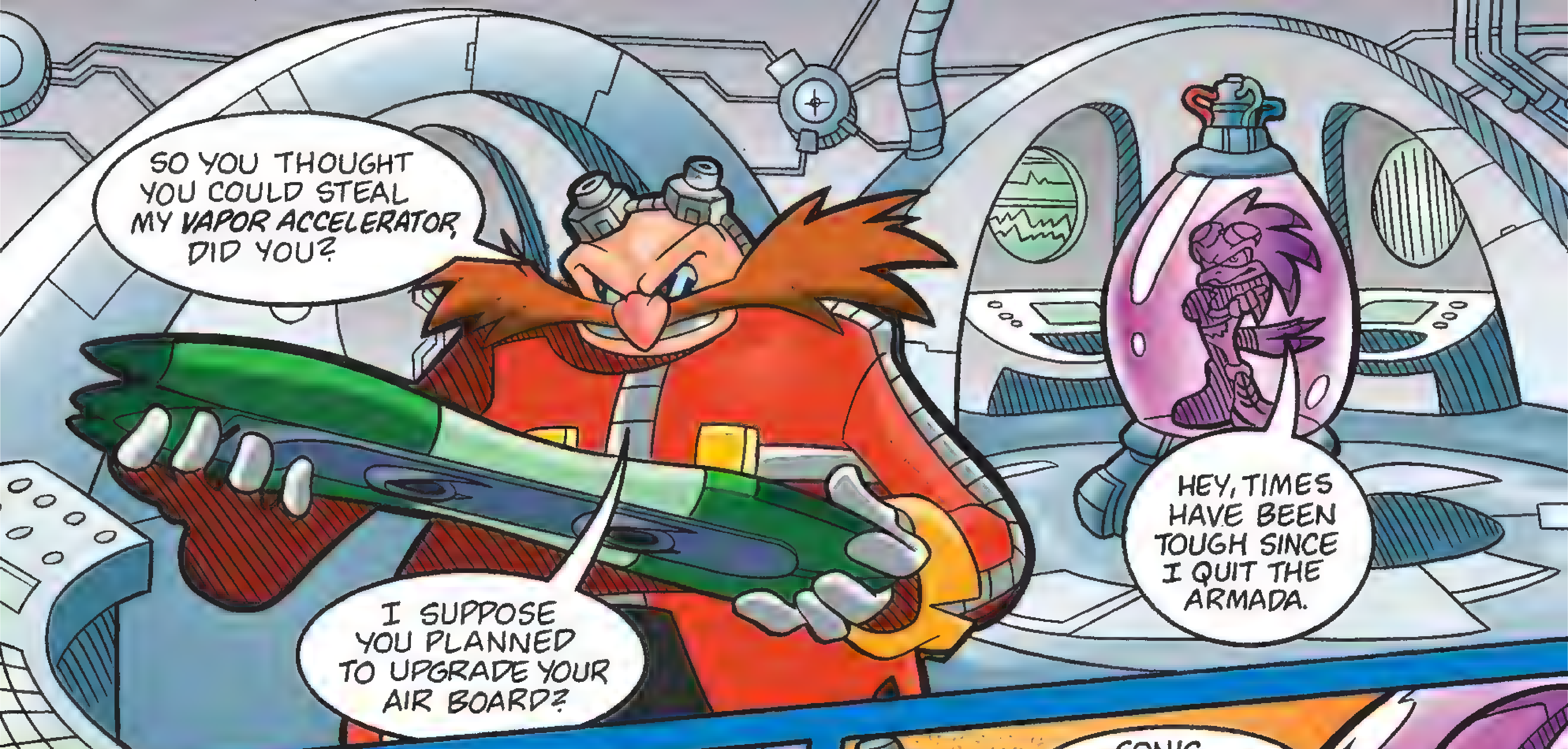
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AUGH!

CLANG

WELL DONE,
MY EGG MECHAS!
NOW BRING THE
THIEF TO ME!



SO YOU THOUGHT
YOU COULD STEAL
MY VAPOR ACCELERATOR,
DID YOU?

I SUPPOSE
YOU PLANNED
TO UPGRADE YOUR
AIR BOARD?

HEY, TIMES
HAVE BEEN
TOUGH SINCE
I QUIT THE
ARMADA.



THIS IS A
REMARKABLE DEVICE!
YOU WERE GOING AS
FAST AS SONIC
ON THIS!

IF ONLY
HE'D RUN
INTO AN EGG
HAMMER...

WHO'S
THIS
SONIC
GUY?



SONIC
THE HEDGEHOG?
FASTEST
THING
ALIVE?
HERO OF
MOBIUS?

NEVER
HEARD OF
THE FRAUD.

I'M THE FASTEST
GUY AROUND.
AND I'LL MAKE
SURE THIS SONIC GUY
REMEMBERS IT.

I LIKE THAT
ATTITUDE.

TELL YOU
WHAT-- YOU WORK
FOR ME AND ROUGH
UP SONIC, AND I
WON'T KILL YOU,
DEAL?



SOUNDS LIKE
A PLAN.

CAN I
BRING SOME
FRIENDS?

A comic book panel showing Sonic the Hedgehog in a forest. He is looking down at a green alien robot that has been crushed under a large rock. The robot has a red visor and a yellow band. A speech bubble from the robot says "YOU DON'T LOOK SO FAST." Sonic is looking at the robot with a determined expression. In the background, there are trees and a path. A speech bubble from Sonic says "HERE, MAYBE?".

ALRIGHT!

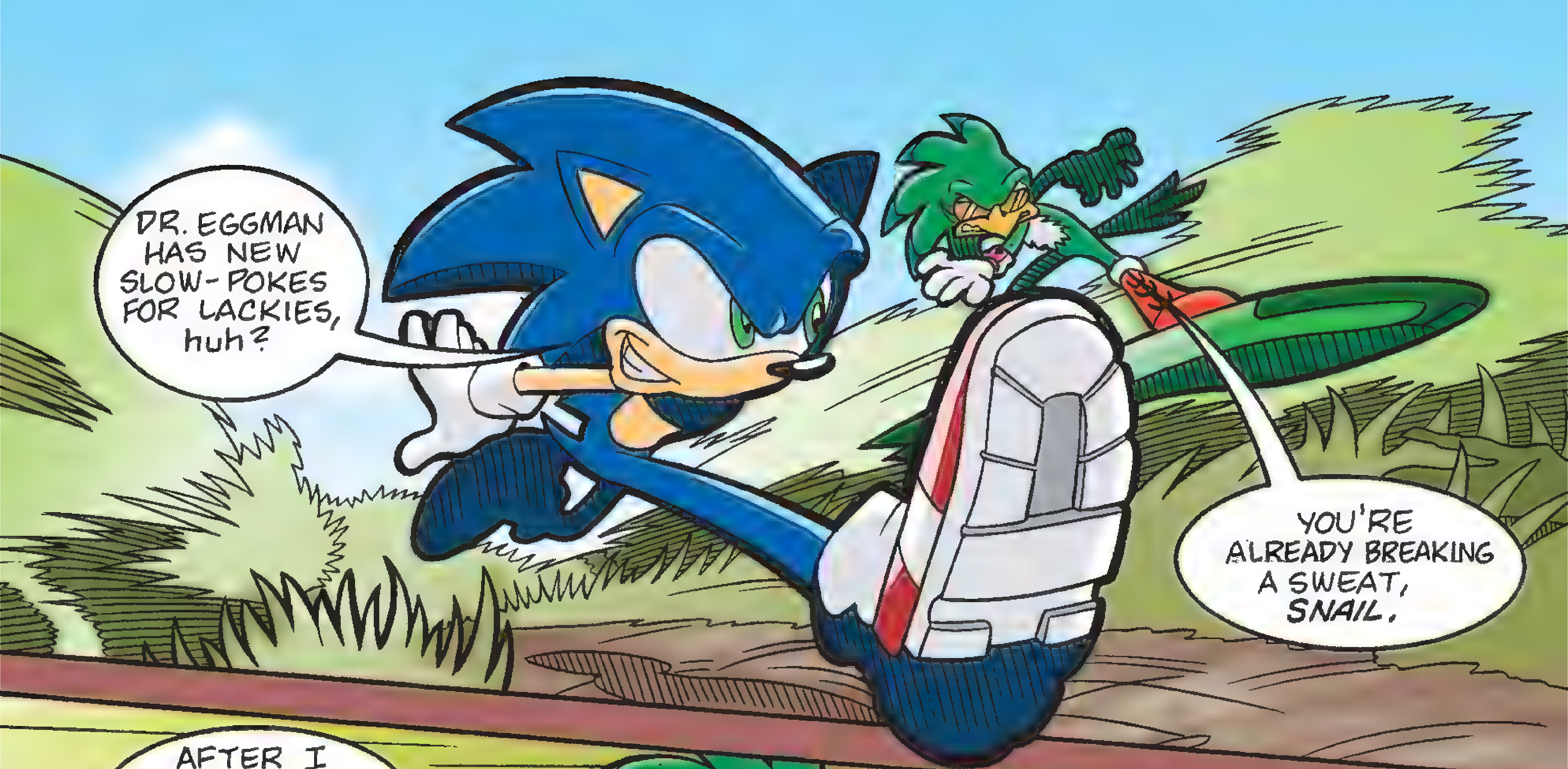
NICOLE SAID
THE SENSORS PICKED
UP THE INTRUDER
A FEW MILES FROM
FREEDOM HQ.

THAT MEANS
HE OUGHT TO BE
SOMEWHERE
AROUND--

HERE, MAYBE?

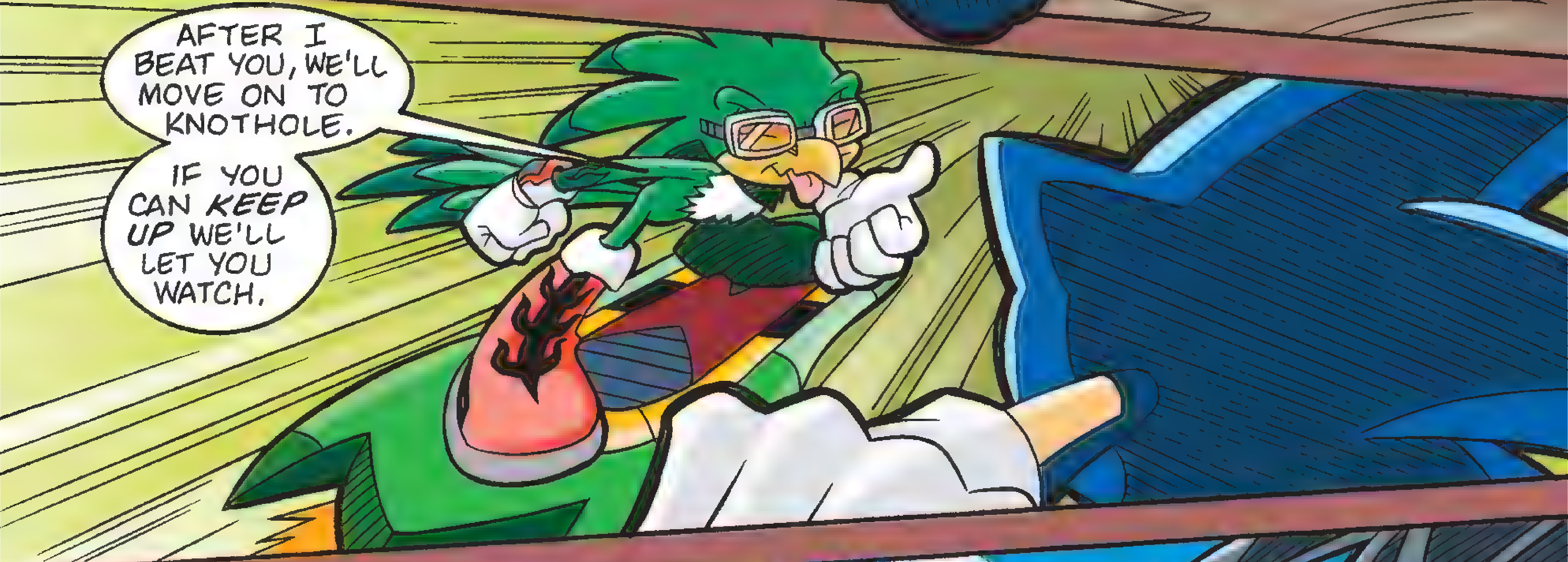
YOU DON'T
LOOK SO
FAST.

WANNA
BET?



DR. EGGMAN HAS NEW SLOW-POKES FOR LACKIES, huh?

YOU'RE ALREADY BREAKING A SWEAT, SNAIL.

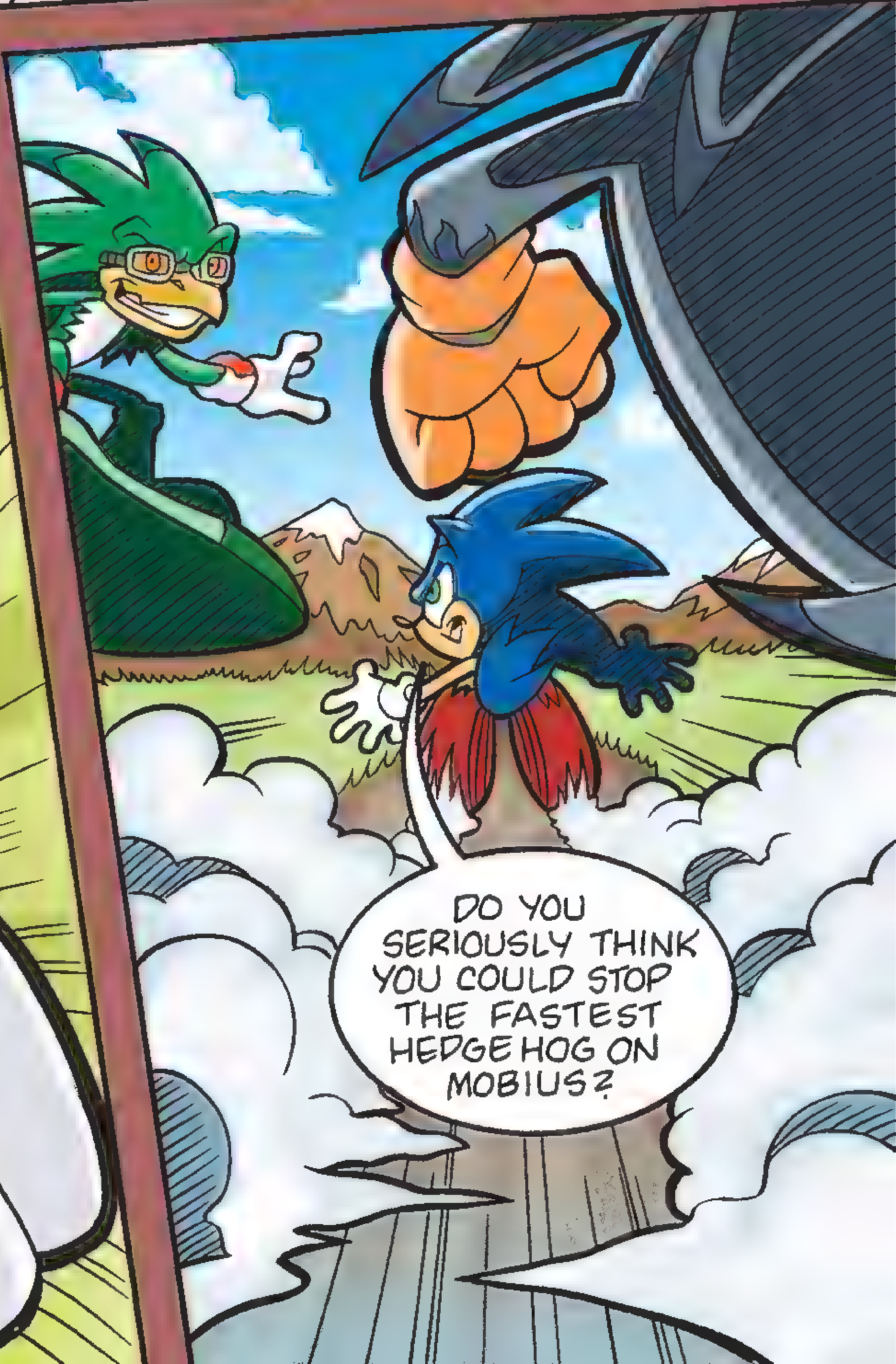


AFTER I BEAT YOU, WE'LL MOVE ON TO KNOTHOLE.

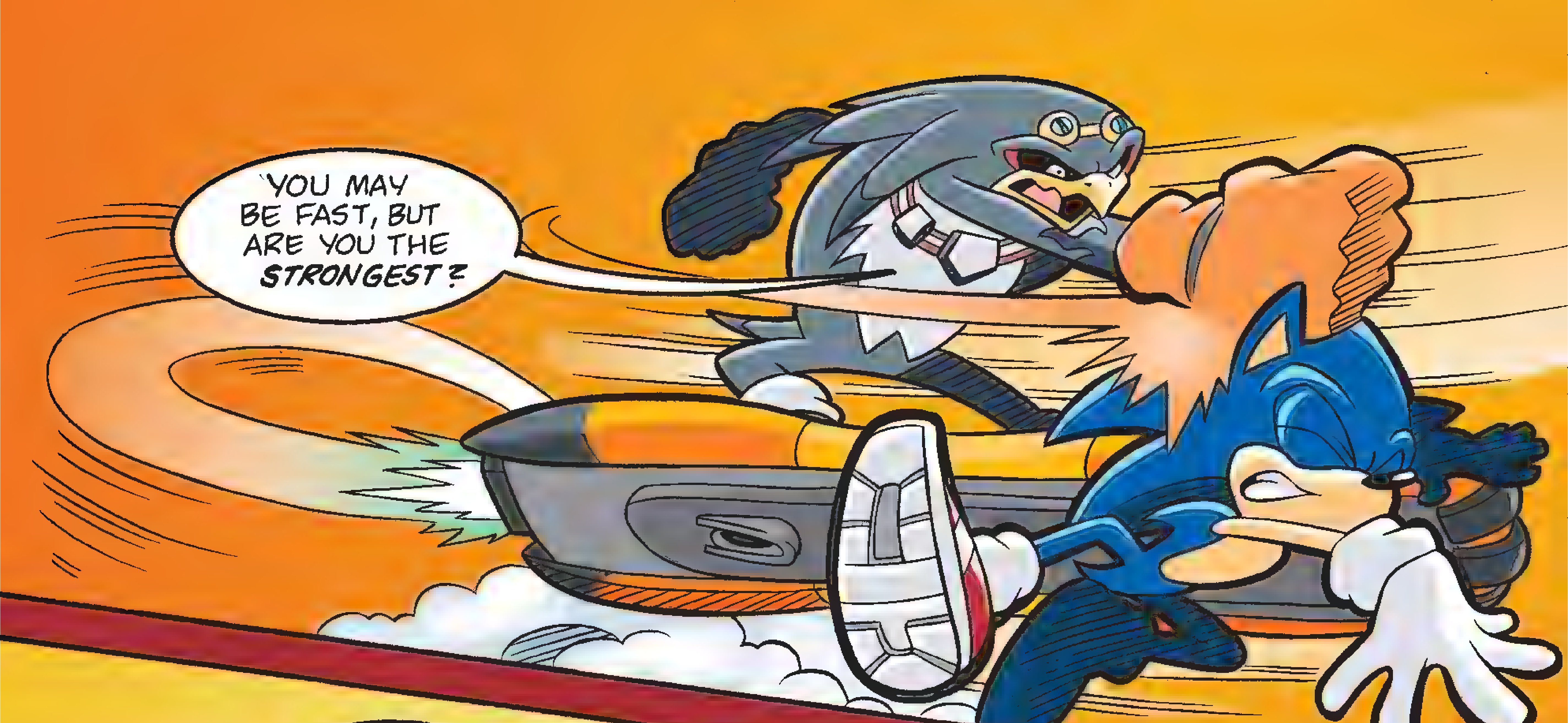
IF YOU CAN KEEP UP WE'LL LET YOU WATCH.



YOU'RE ALL TALK AND NO SPEED, BIRD-BOY.



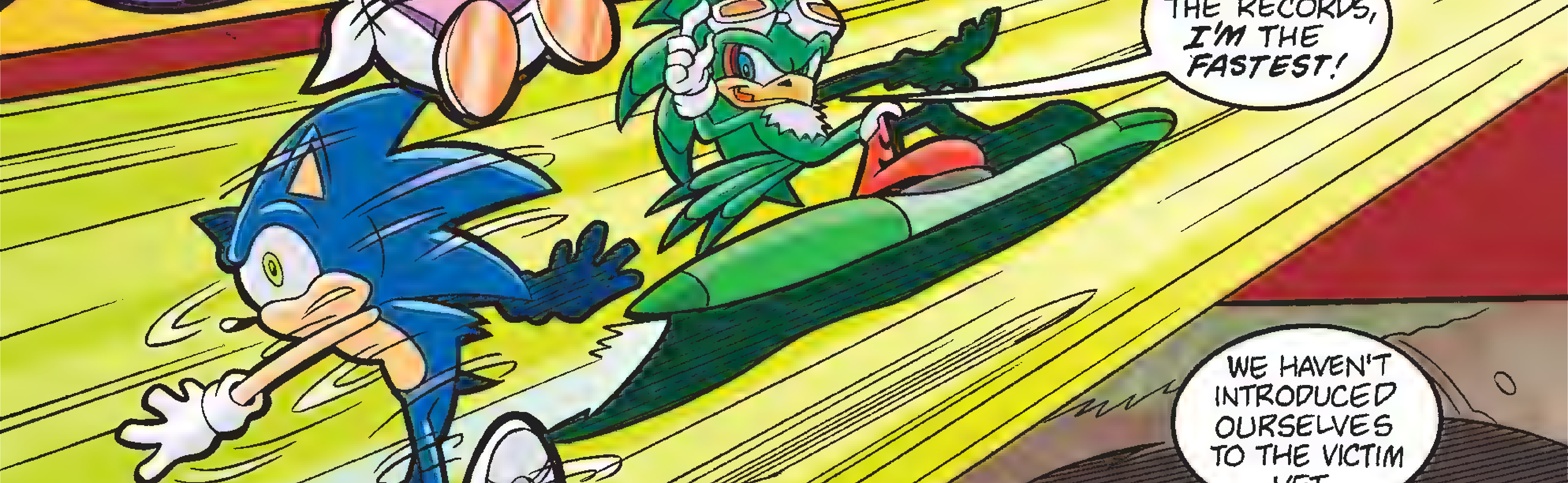
DO YOU SERIOUSLY THINK YOU COULD STOP THE FASTEST HEDGE HOG ON MOBIUS?



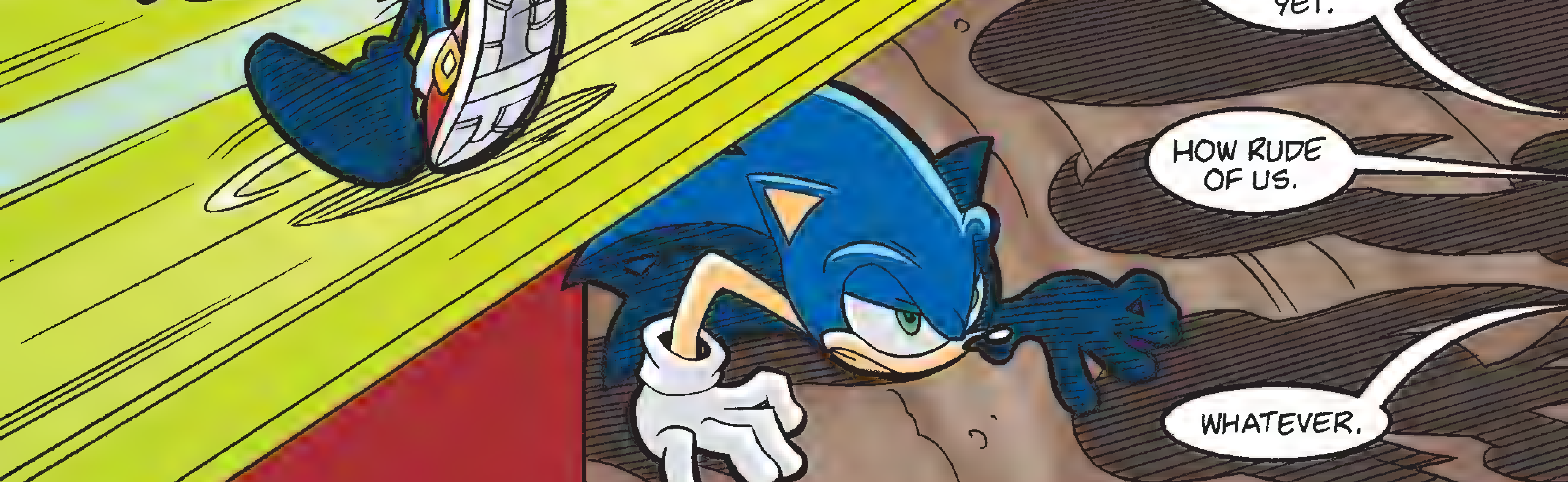
YOU MAY
BE FAST, BUT
ARE YOU THE
STRONGEST?



OR THE MOST
SKILLED?



AND FOR
THE RECORDS,
I'M THE
FASTEST!



WE HAVEN'T
INTRODUCED
OURSELVES
TO THE VICTIM
YET.

HOW RUDE
OF US.

WHATEVER.



JET THE
HAWK.

STORM THE
ALBATROSS.

WAVE THE
SWALLOW.

WE'RE THE
BABYLON
ROGUES.

NEXT MONTH: HOW CAN SONIC
KEEP UP WITH THE **BABYLON**
ROGUES? MAYBE WITH A LITTLE
HELP FROM HIS FRIENDS!

**KEEP READING TO SEE
A RACE FOR THE AGES!
PART 2 STARTS NOW!**

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WHOA.

THE WORST
BRUISE IS ON
MY PRIDE,
BUD.

SONIC!
ARE YOU
OKAY?

WHO DID
THIS TO YOU?

I'LL MAKE
THEM PAY!

TONE IT DOWN
ON THE VOLUME
AND THE MACHO,
KNUX.

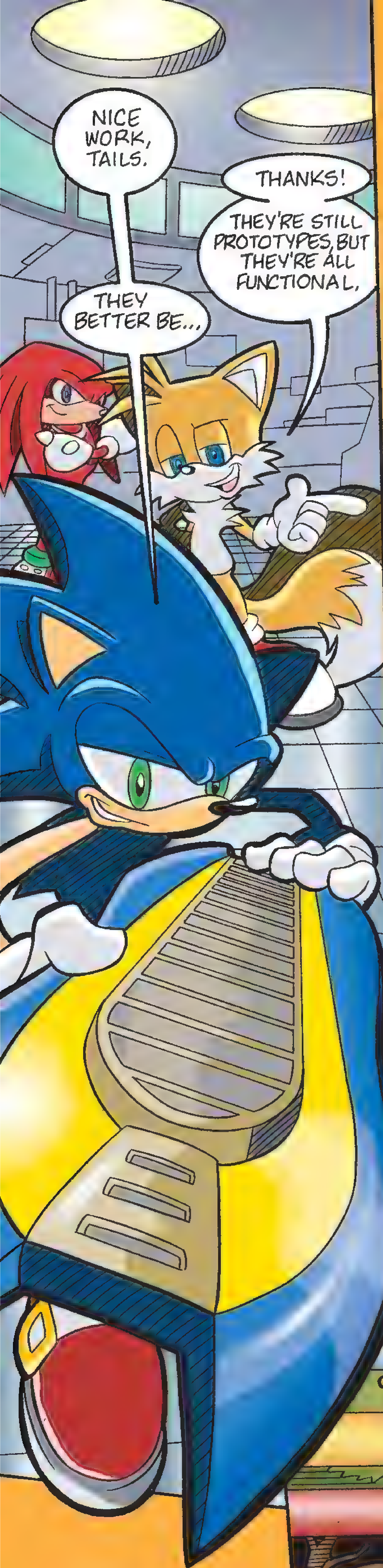
OW

WAS IT
DR. EGGMAN?

SORTA.

HE'S GOT
A NEW GROUP
OF JERKS CALLED
THE **BABYLON**
ROGUES.





NICE
WORK,
TAILS.

THANKS!

THEY'RE STILL
PROTOTYPES, BUT
THEY'RE ALL
FUNCTIONAL,

THEY
BETTER BE...

"...BECAUSE THE BABYLON ROGUES
SAID THEY'D BE COMING FOR
KNOTHOLE TOMORROW!"



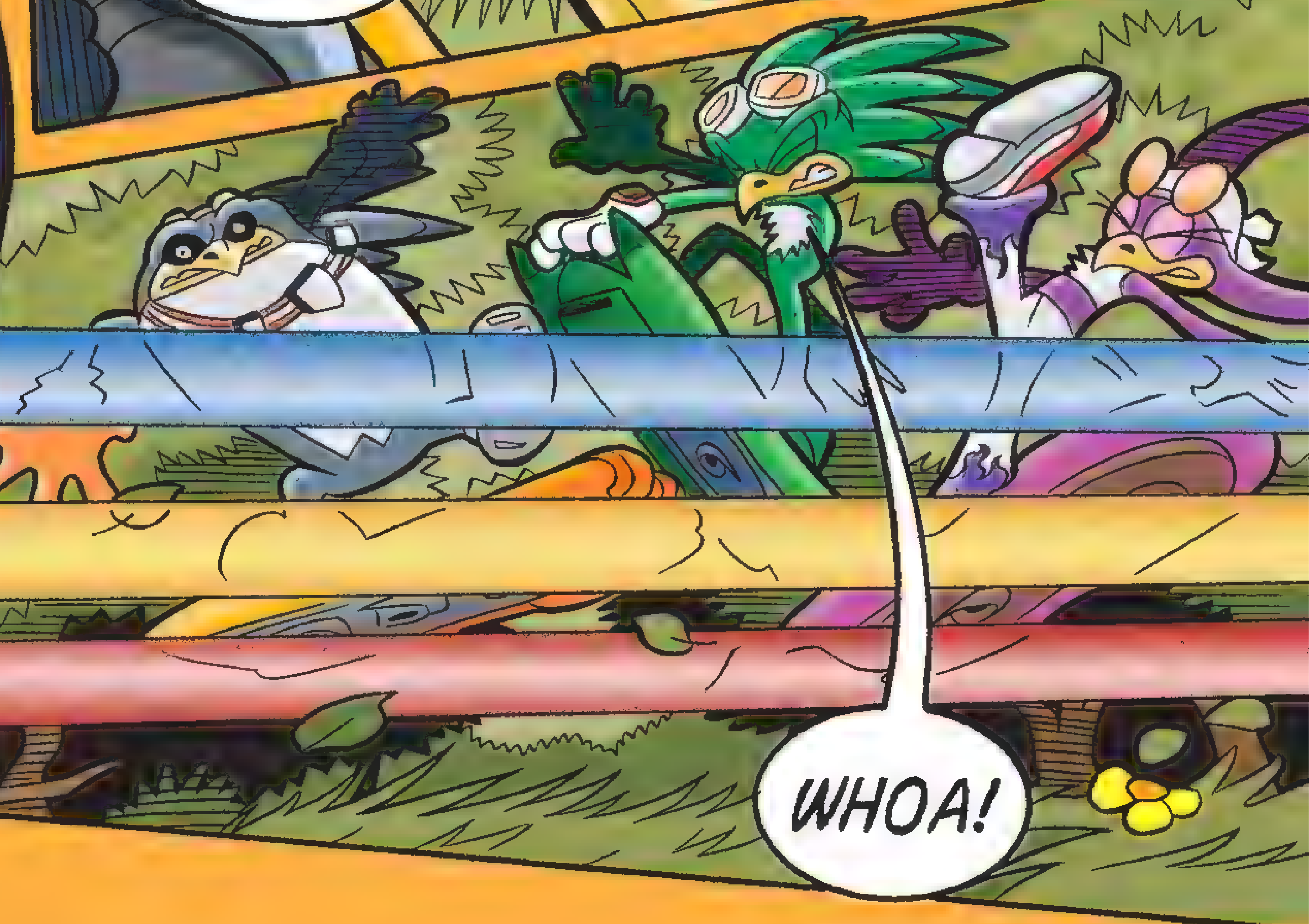
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HE'LL SHOW, JET?
WE ARE ATTACKING
HIS HOME AFTER
ALL.

NO WAY,
STORM.

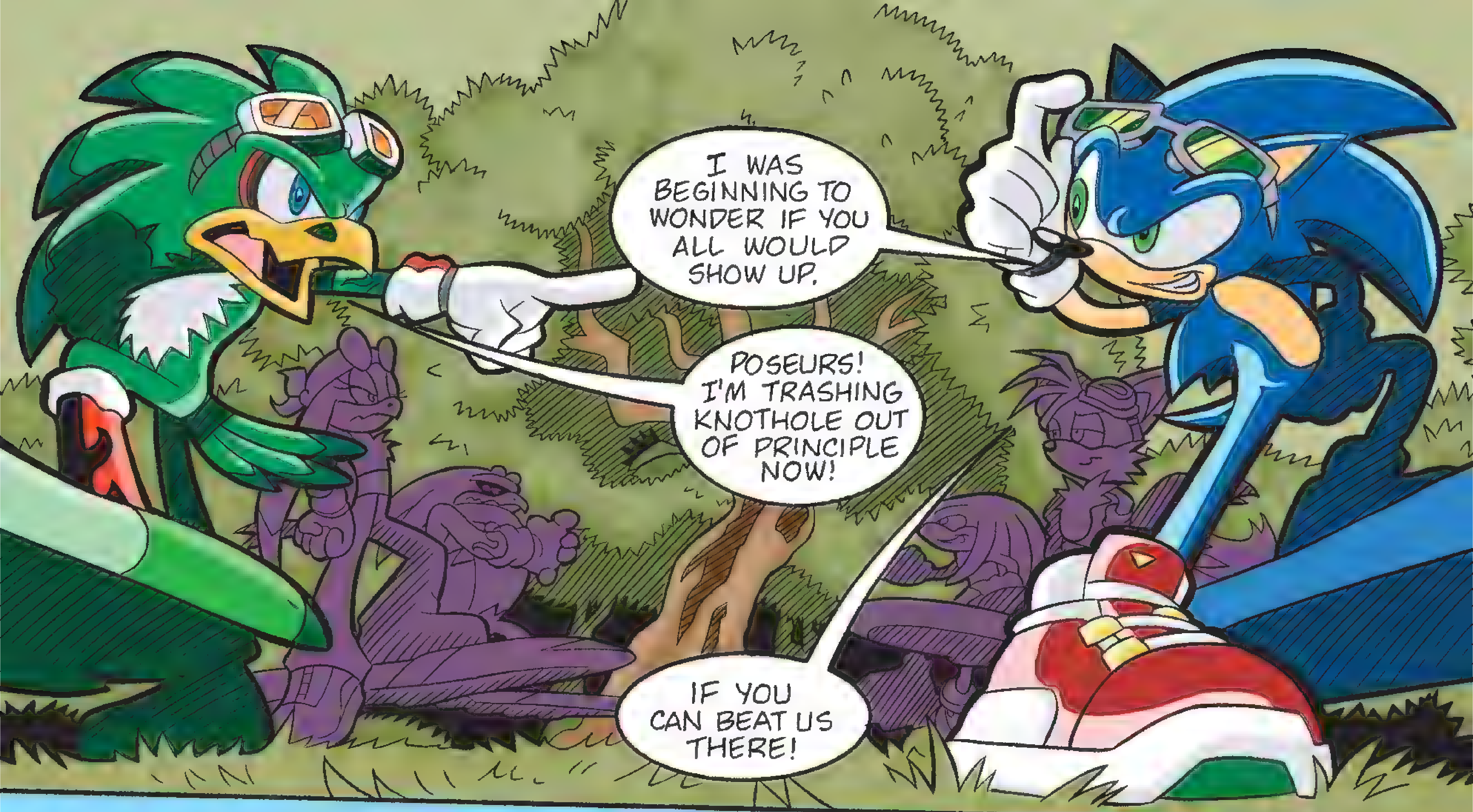
I PUT
A SERIOUS
HURT ON HIM
LAST TIME... WITH
YOU AND WAVE,
OF COURSE.



OF
COURSE.



WHOA!



I WAS
BEGINNING TO
WONDER IF YOU
ALL WOULD
SHOW UP.

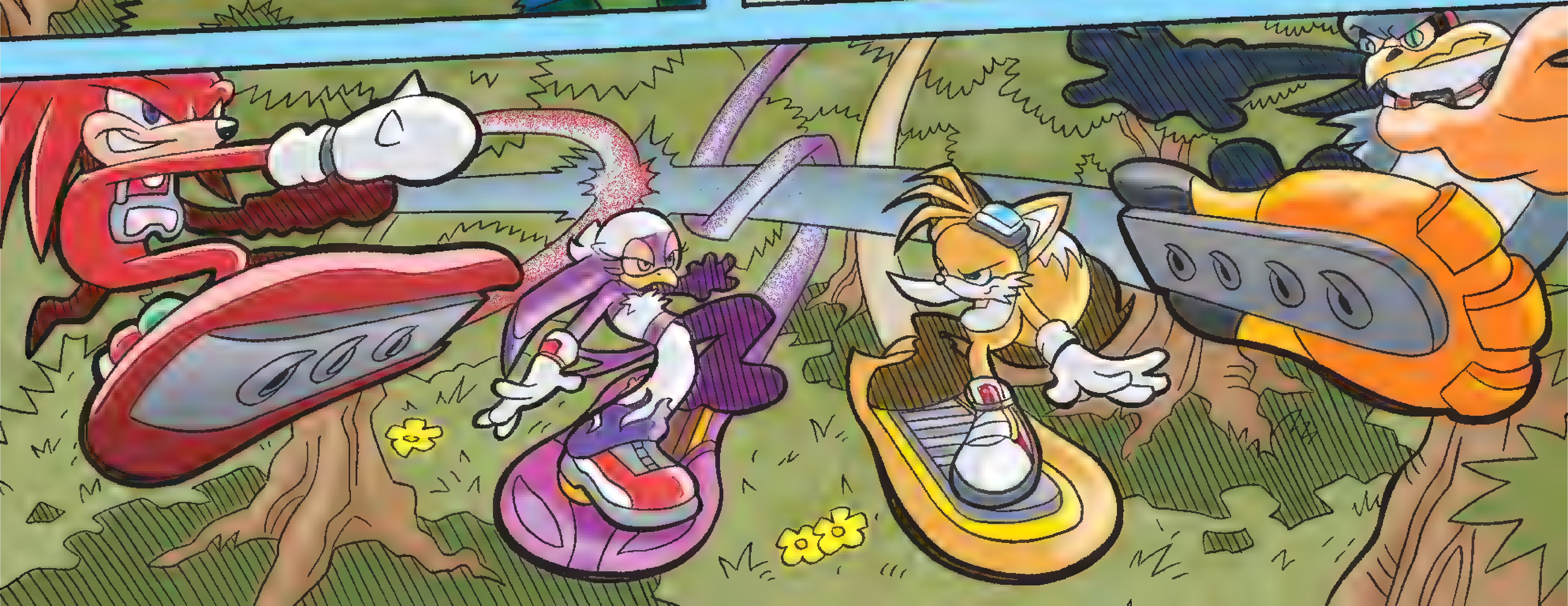
POSEURS!
I'M TRASHING
KNOTHOLE OUT
OF PRINCIPLE
NOW!

IF YOU
CAN BEAT US
THERE!



IT'S BEEN
A WHILE SINCE
I'VE FOUGHT
SOMEONE AS
STRONG AS
ME.

LIKEWISE!





YOU'RE
QUITE THE
FLYER, KID.

THANKS!



TOO BAD
YOUR AIRBOARD'S
A PIECE OF
JUNK!

TAKE
THAT
BACK!

GIVE IT
UP!



YOU
CAN'T BEAT
ME!

I CAN
AND I WILL,
JET!

YOU WANT
TO TEAR UP
KNOTHOLE?



**WHO WINS THE ULTIMATE RACE?
PLAY SONIC RIDERS ON YOUR
FAVORITE CONSOLE AND FIND OUT!**

MEANWHILE, ON ANOTHER DAY
AND ANOTHER ADVENTURE...

URGH...
TAILS?

OOOOOH...
I'M HERE,
SONIC.

COOL.
THEN THE NEXT
QUESTION IS --

SONIC RUSH ADVENTURE

HIGH STAKES ON THE HIGH SEA

-- WHERE IS
"HERE?"

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ONE LOUSY
STORM AND WE'RE
THROWN COMPLETELY
OFF-COURSE.

AT LEAST
WE'RE IN ONE
PIECE.

AHOY
THERE!

YOU GUYS
TOOK A NASTY FALL.
GOOD PULSE.

DID YOU
SWALLOW ANY
SEAWATER?

NO?

GOOD.
THAT STUFF
IS NASTY.

YOU TWO PASS
WITH A CLEAN BILL OF
HEALTH. NOW COME ON,
ME SWABBIES! YOUR
CAPTAIN IS SETTING SAIL
FOR ADVENTURE!

YEAH, NO.
HOLD ON
A SECOND.

EEK!
MUTINY!

LISTEN, KIDDO,
WE'RE KIND OF LOST
AT THE MOMENT, AND WE
DON'T EVEN KNOW WHO
YOU ARE SO ...

YOU'RE ON
SEAGULL ISLAND!
MY NAME IS MARINE
AND I AM YOUR CAPTAIN
AND YOU'RE ON MY
CREW NOW.

NOW, LET'S
SHOVE OFF!
TO ADVENTURE!

YOU HAVE FUN
WITH THAT. LET'S SEE
HOW BAD THE PLANE
IS, TAILS.

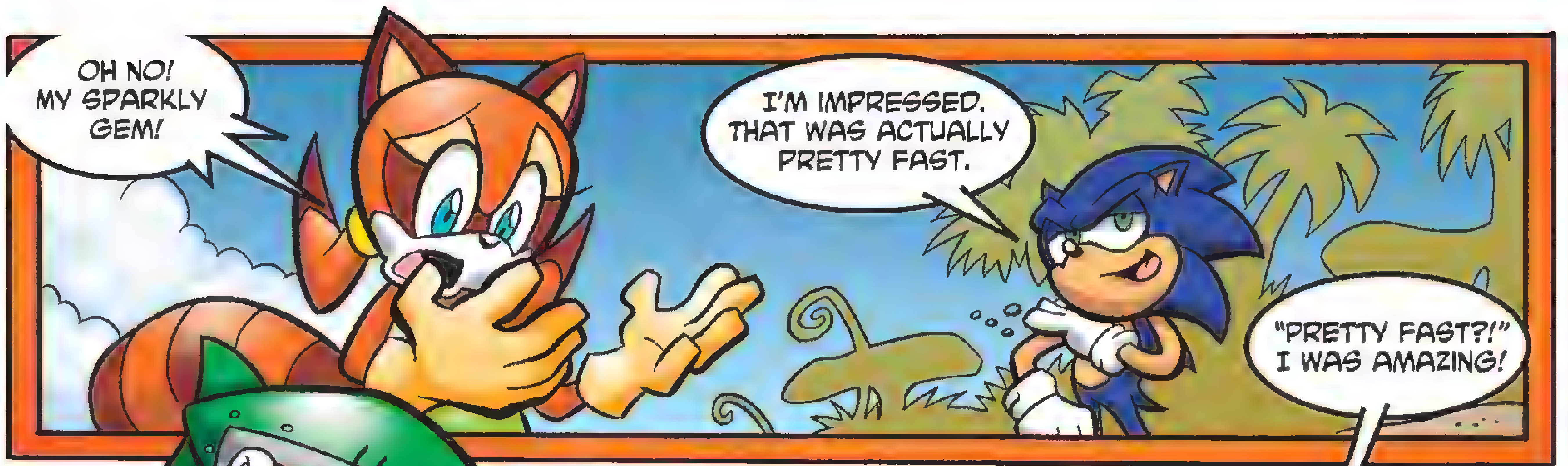
WELL... UM...
WHAT KIND OF
ADVENTURE?

WELL,
FIGHTING PIRATES
FOR ONE THING.

PIRATE
FIGHTING
YOU SAY?

JUST A FEW DAYS AGO
A NASTY GROUP OF PIRATES
CAME TO THE ISLAND. THEY'VE BEEN
LOOTING THE ISLAND IN THEIR
SEARCH FOR TREASURE!

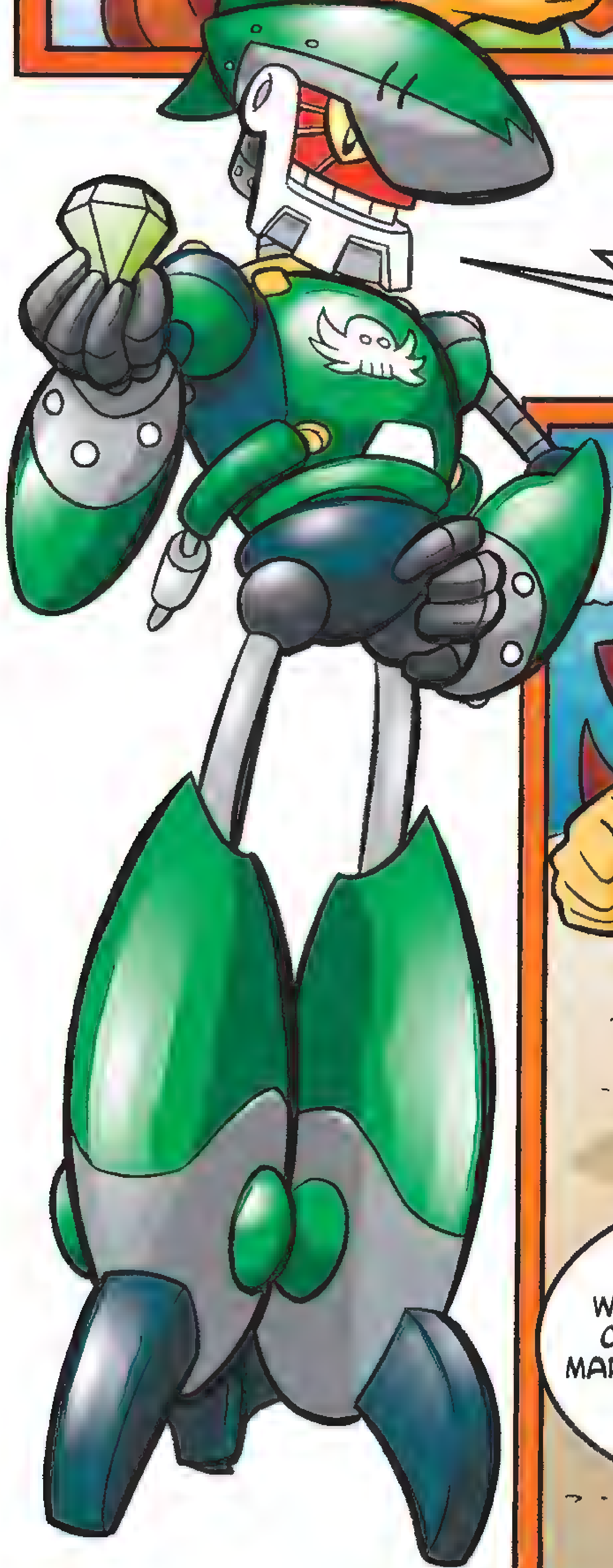




OH NO!
MY SPARKLY
GEM!

I'M IMPRESSED.
THAT WAS ACTUALLY
PRETTY FAST.

"PRETTY FAST?!"
I WAS AMAZING!



YOU'RE LOOKING
AT THE BEST OF CAP'N WHISKER'S
AGENTS. THE FASTEST OF THE FAST. THE
SULTAN OF SPEED. THE EMBODIMENT OF
AWESOME! THE NAME'S *JOHNNY*
AND YOU ALL WILL EAT
MY DUST!



GIVE
THAT
BACK!

GET READY
TO EAT YOUR
WORDS, JOHNNY-BOY!
COME ON, "CAPTAIN"
MARINE! YOU'RE GETTING
YOUR ADVENTURE
AFTER ALL!

**IT'S A WHOLE NEW WORLD OF
ADVENTURE FOR SONIC AND TAILS!
FIND OUT HOW THIS EXCITING EPIC ENDS IN
SONIC RUSH 2 FOR NINTENDO DS!**



IN ANOTHER TIME...

IN ANOTHER PLACE...

INVADERS FROM BEYOND

ARE YOU
SURE ABOUT
THIS?

ABSOLUTELY!
THIS IS THE ONLY
CHAOS EMERALD LEFT,
SO THE THIEVES HAVE TO
COME HERE TO GET IT.
WHEN THEY DO -
WE'LL BE READY!

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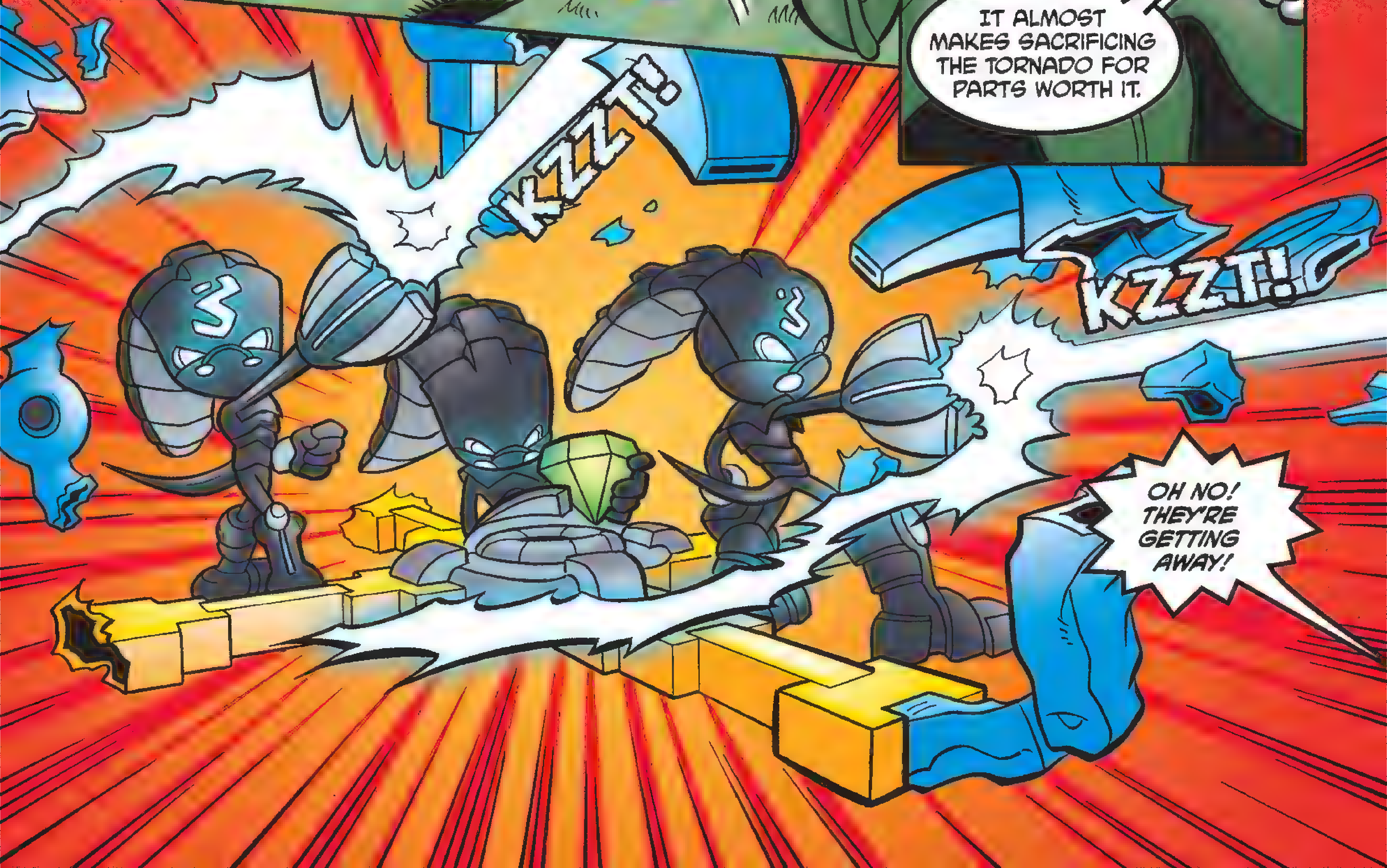
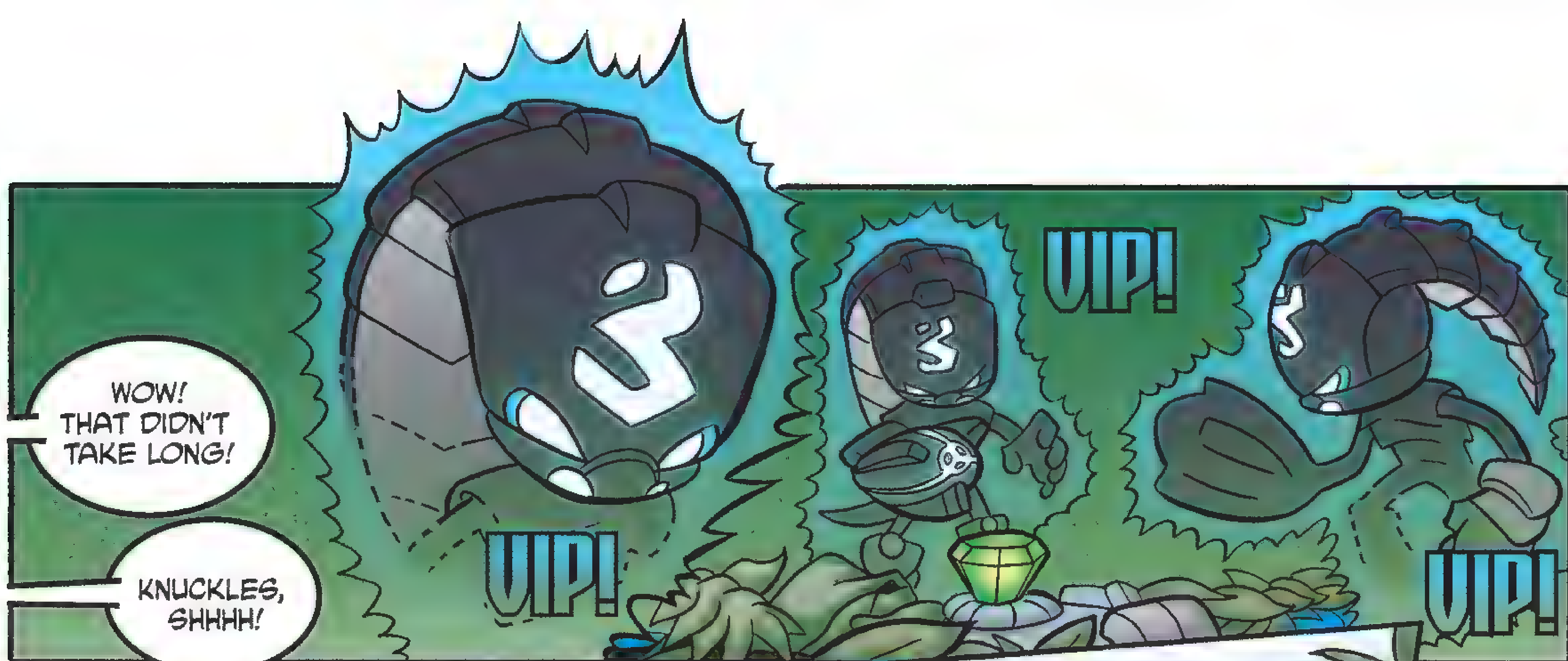
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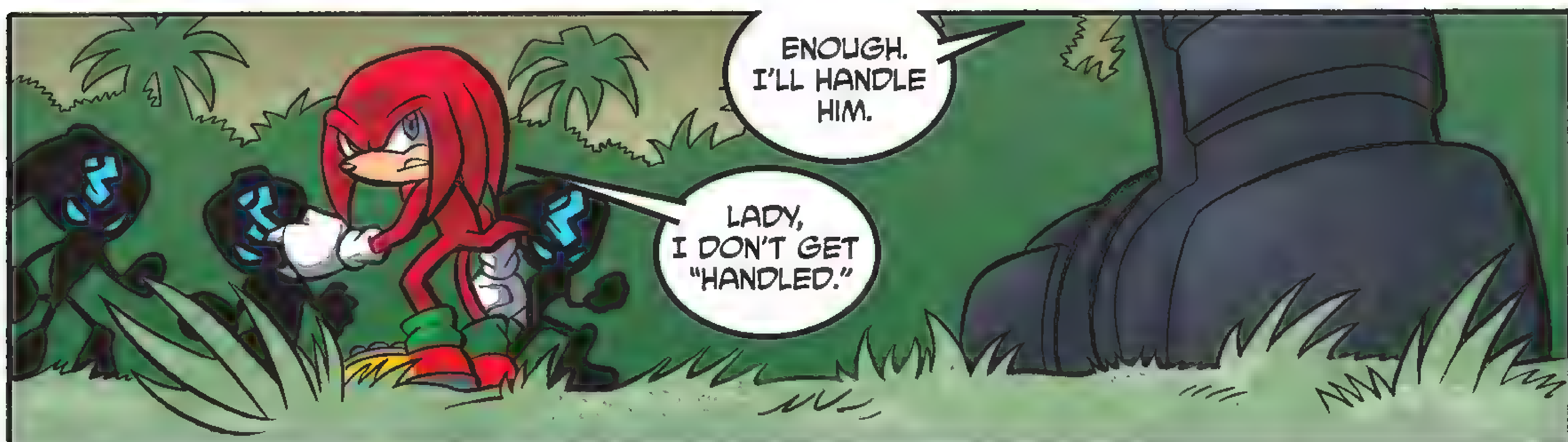
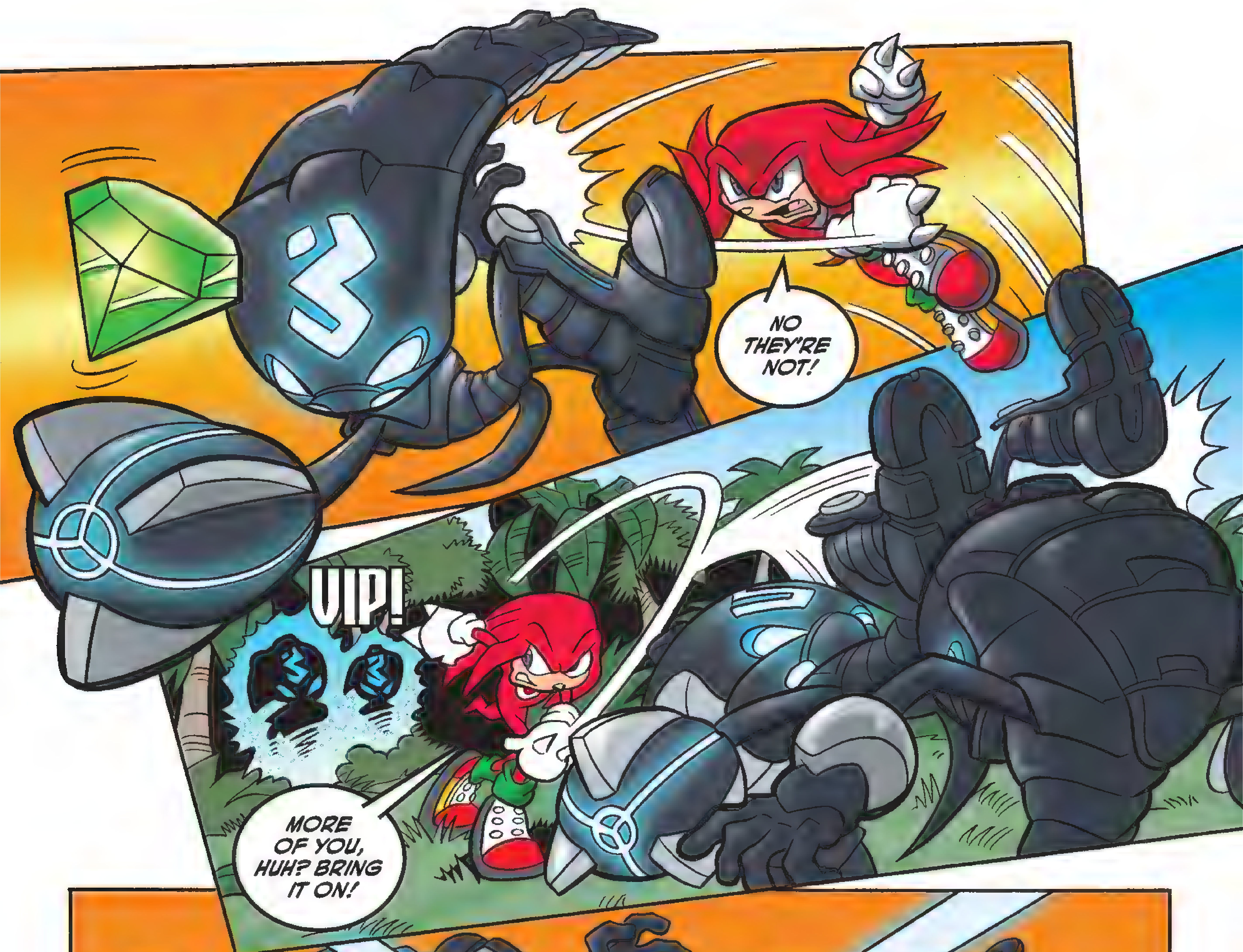
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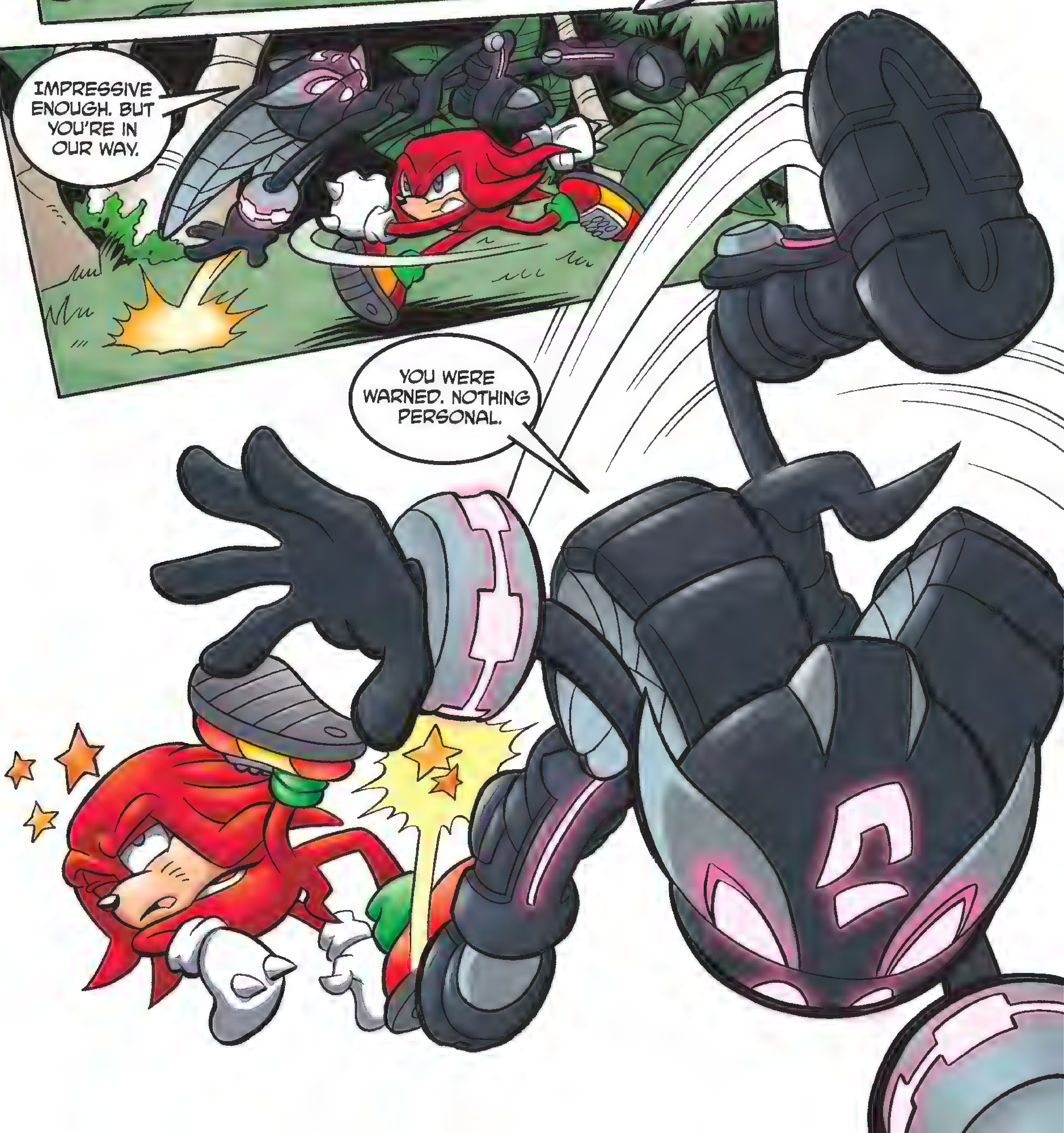
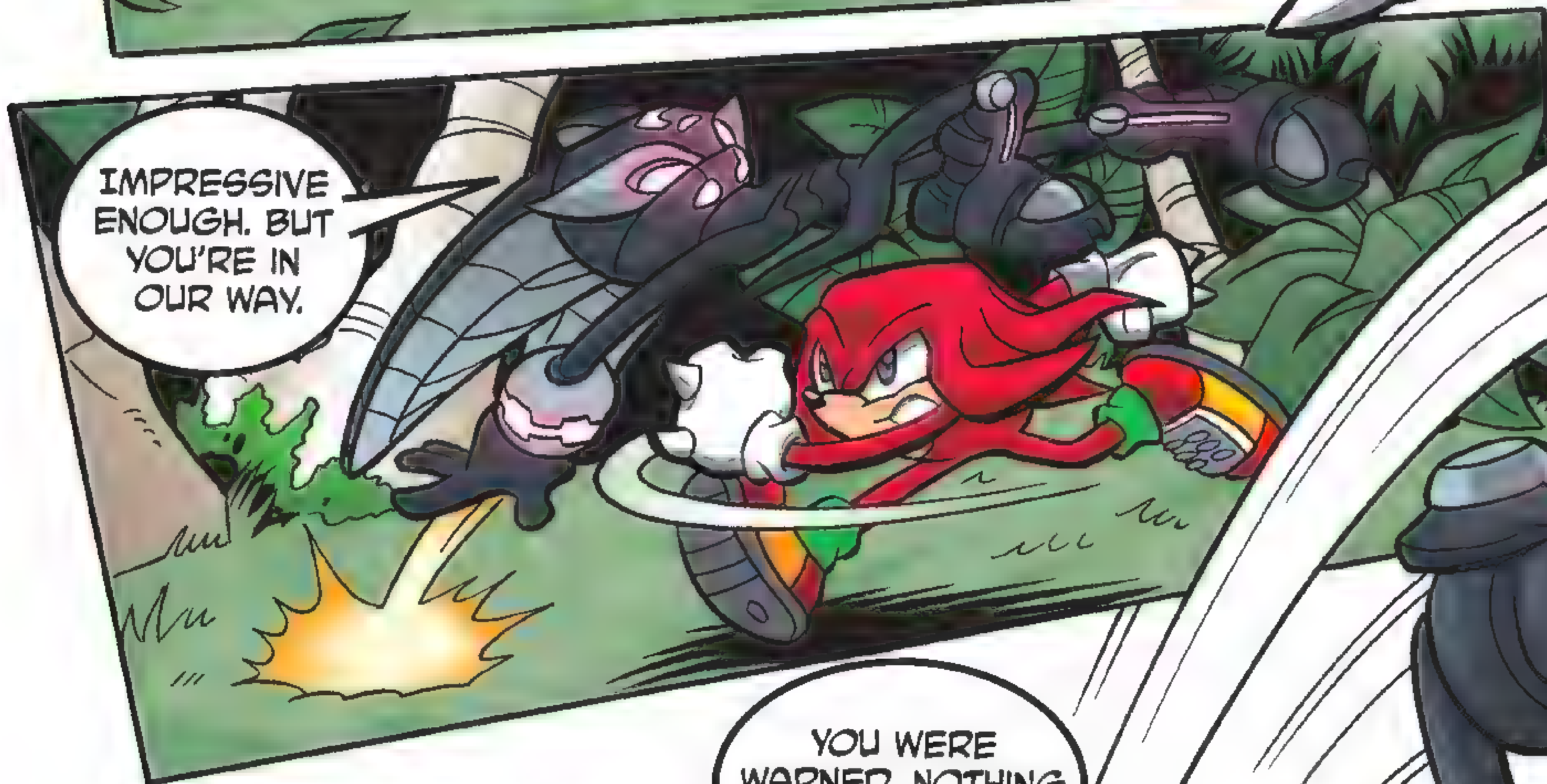
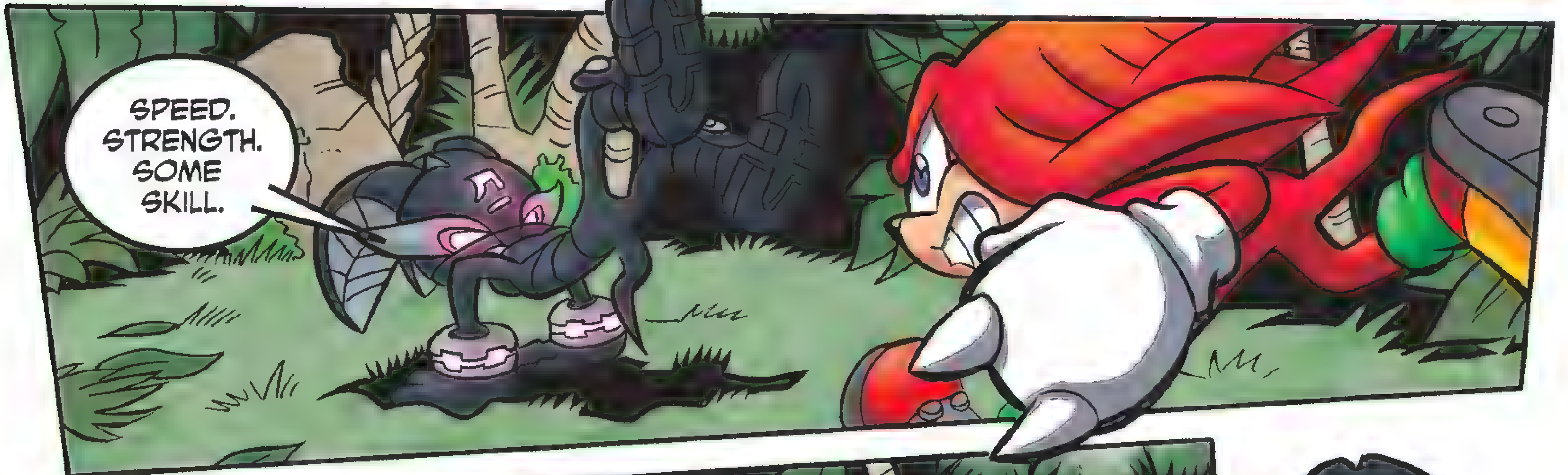
WHY NOT
JUST TAKE THE
CHAOS EMERALD
AND HIDE IT?

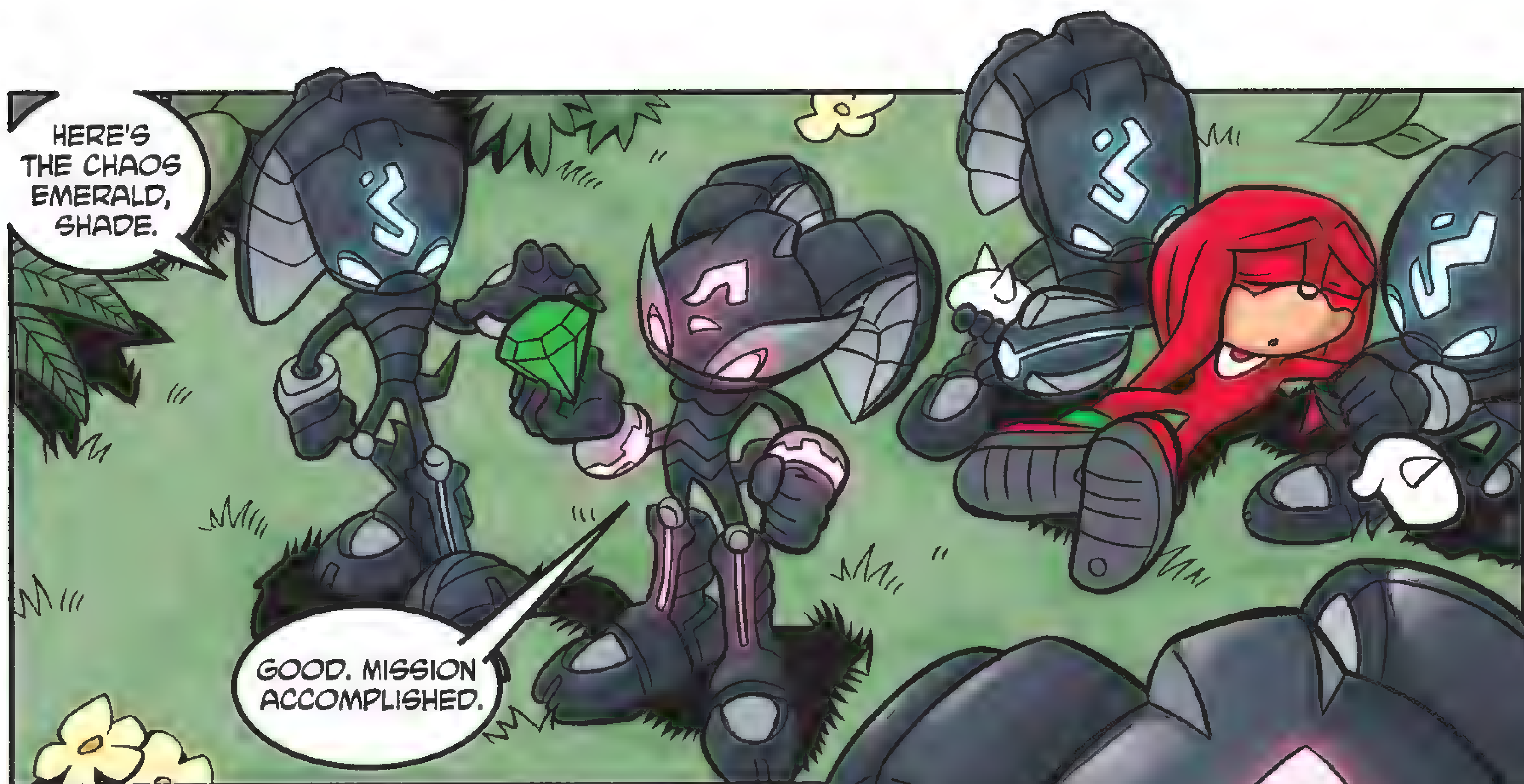
BECAUSE I
WANT TO SEE WHO
THESE GUYS ARE
AND TEACH 'EM
A LESSON.

OH, OF
COURSE.









WHO ARE THE MARAUDERS?
WHAT DO THEY WANT WITH THE CHAOS EMERALDS - AND KNUCKLES?
ALL THE ANSWERS ARE WAITING FOR YOU IN SONIC CHRONICLES: THE DARK BROTHERHOOD FOR YOUR NINTENDO DS!

IN ANOTHER TIME...

IN ANOTHER PLACE...

CURSE YOU,
HEDGEHOG! YOU'VE
MADE MINCEMEAT OF MY
SPACE ARMADA!

SONIC UNLEASHED!

CALL IT A HOBBY.
YOU'RE DONE, DOC.
CALL IT QUIT'S WHILE
YOU'RE BEHIND.

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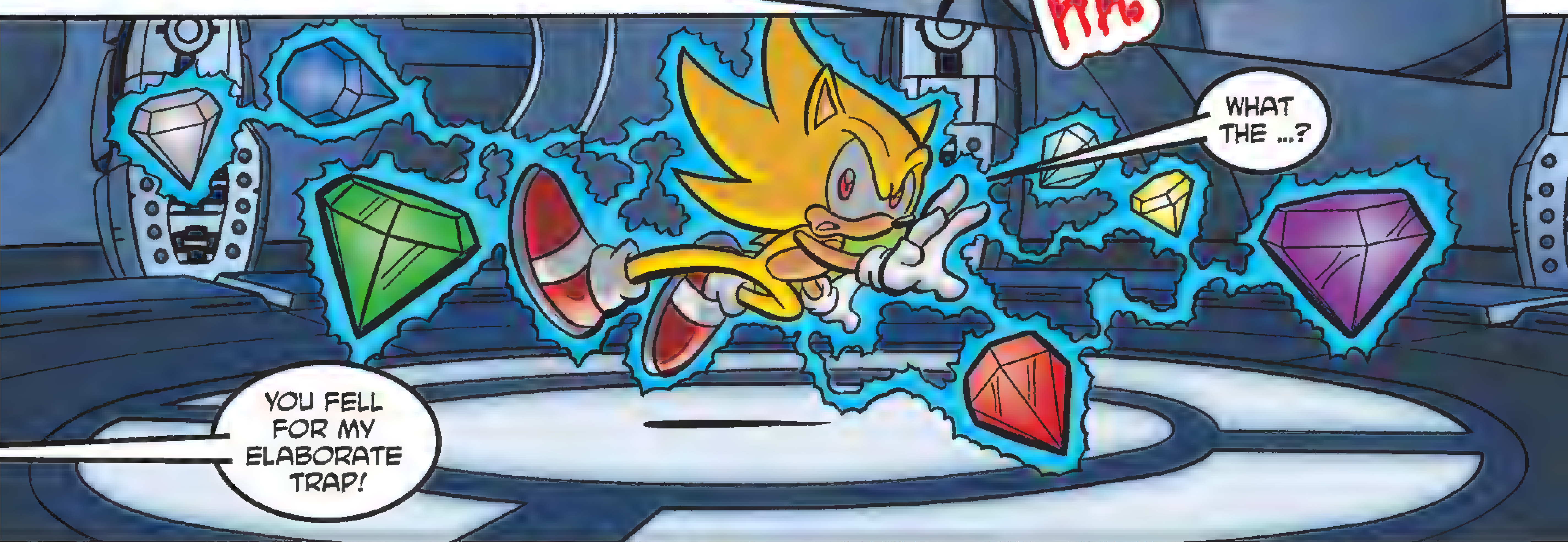


I KNOW WHEN I'M BEAT...

I'LL PASS ON THE OBVIOUS PUN. SEE YOU NEXT SCHEME!

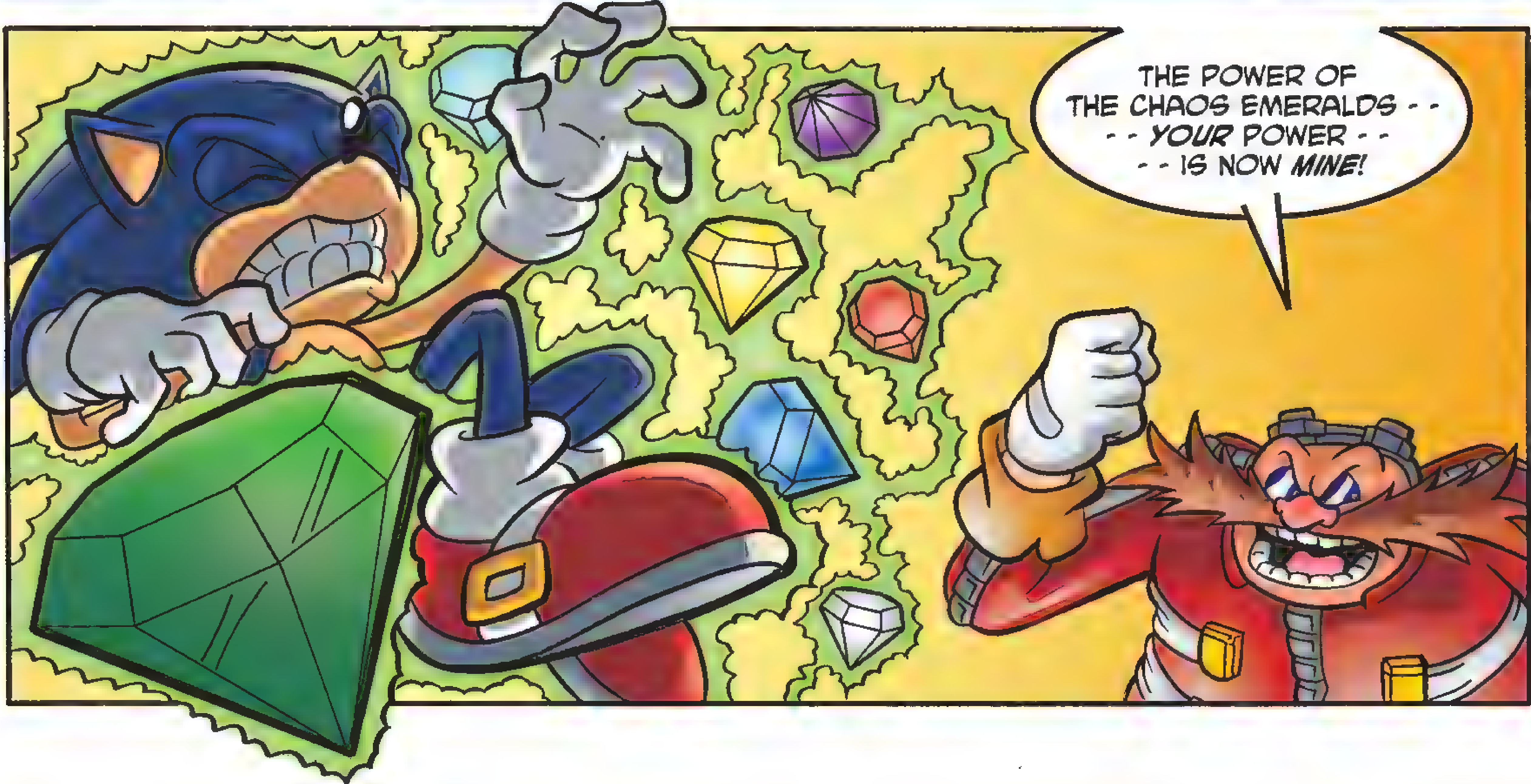
...AND IT'S NOT NOW!

WAH HA HA HA!

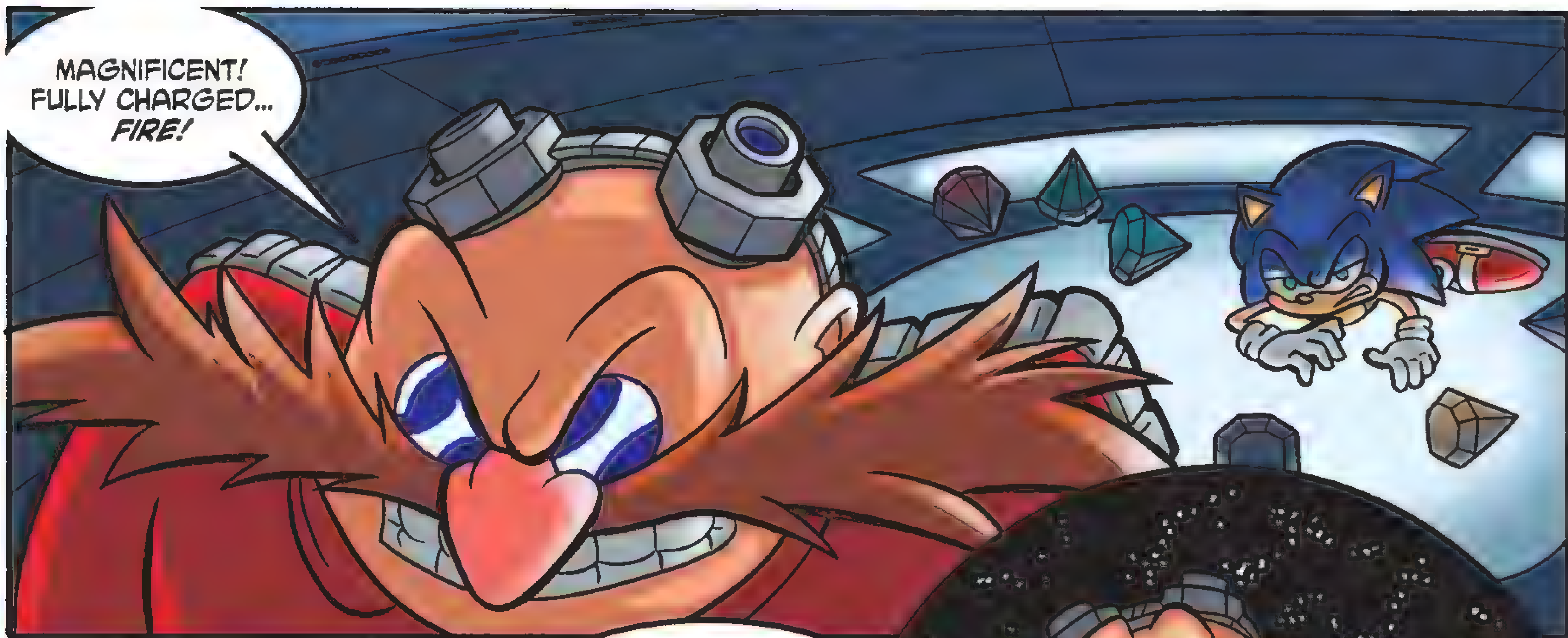


WHAT THE ...?

YOU FELL FOR MY ELABORATE TRAP!



THE POWER OF THE CHAOS EMERALDS --
-- YOUR POWER --
-- IS NOW MINE!



MAGNIFICENT!
FULLY CHARGED...
FIRE!

NOW WITH THE
WORLD SHATTERED,
IT WILL BE UNLEASHED!
HOW DO YOU LIKE
THAT... SONIC?



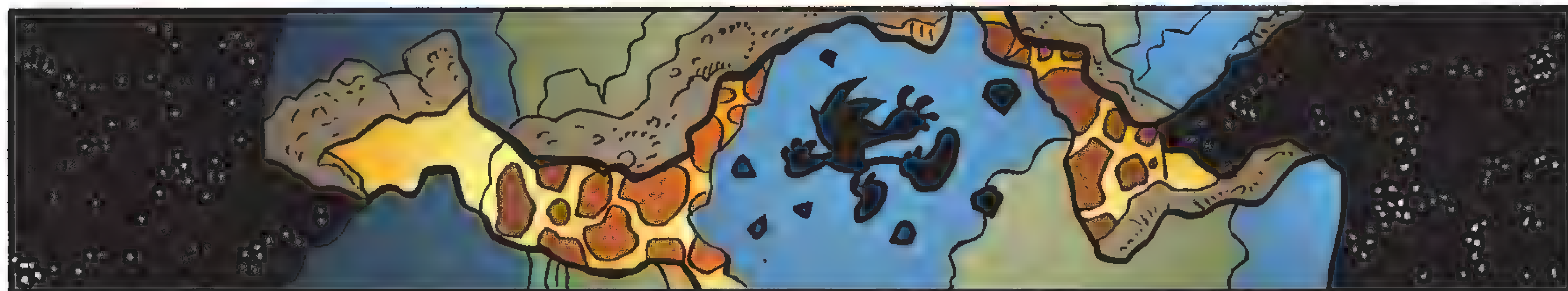
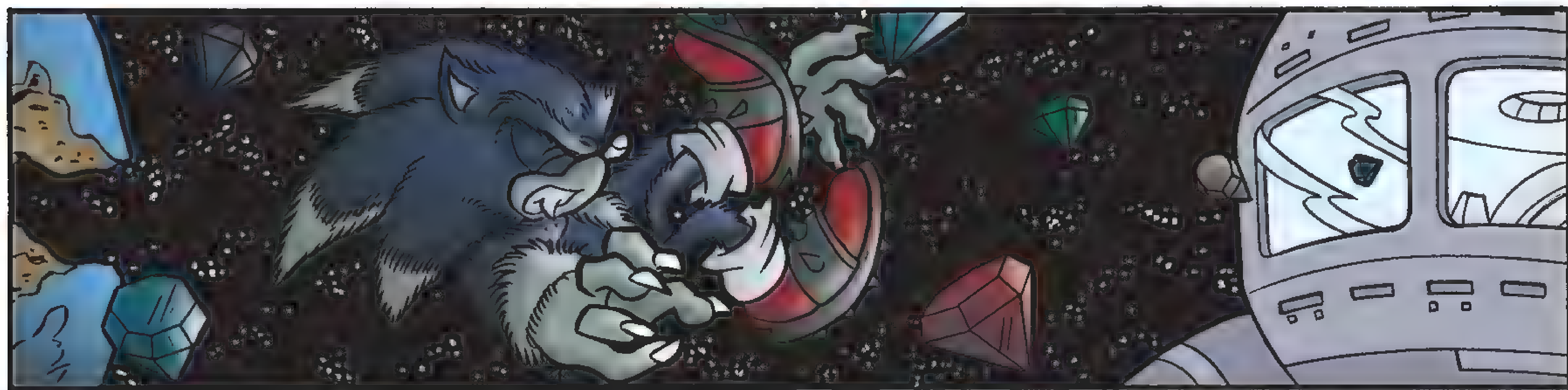
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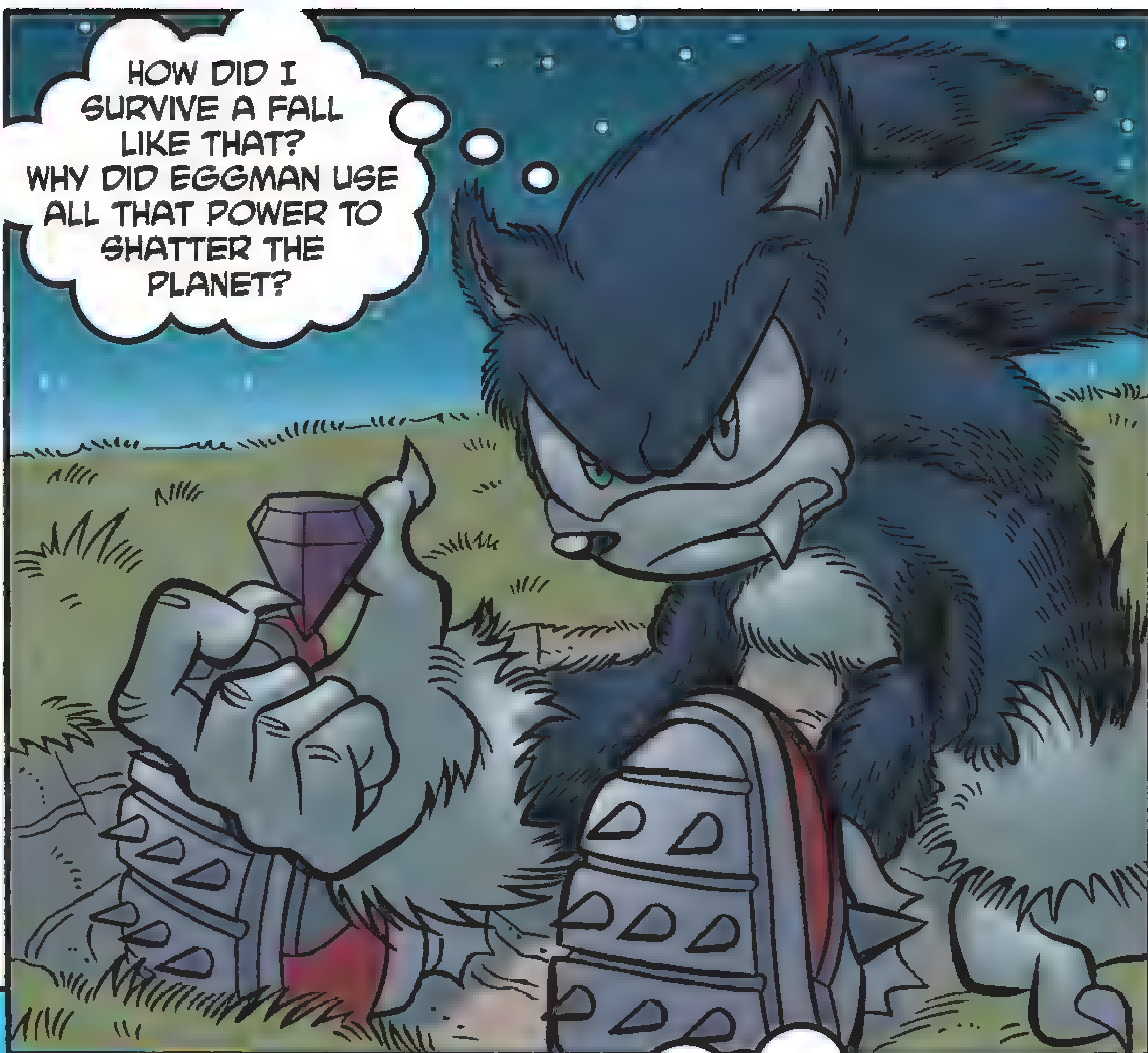


WELL *THAT* WAS UNEXPECTED!
G-GET OUT OF HERE!



AND YOU CAN TAKE THOSE WORTHLESS DRAINED CHAOS EMERALDS WITH YOU!





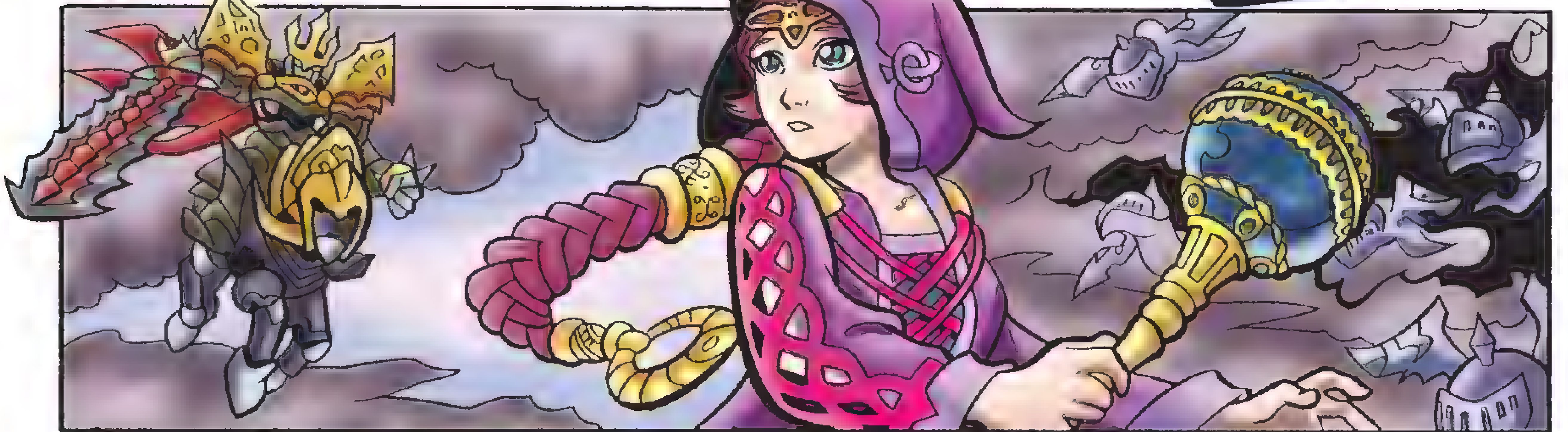
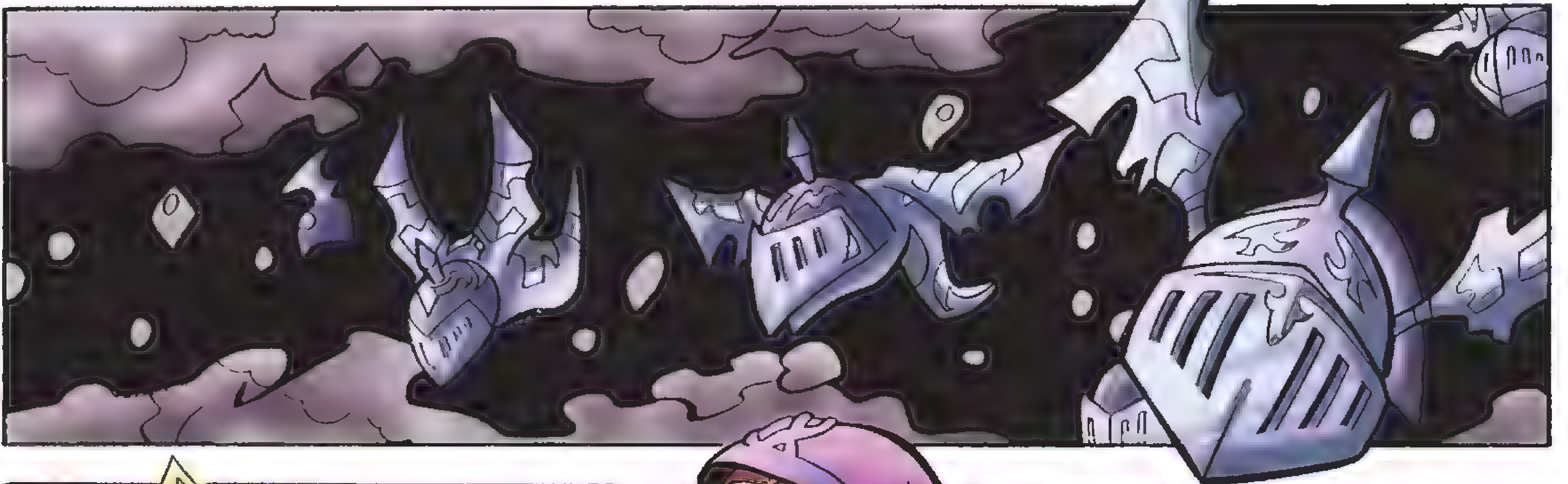
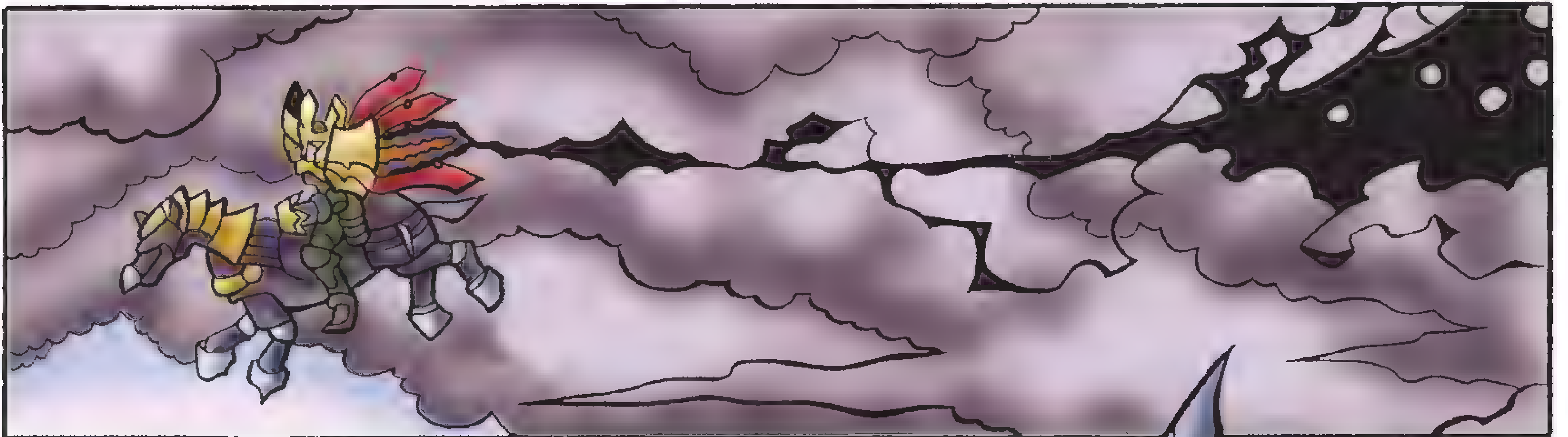
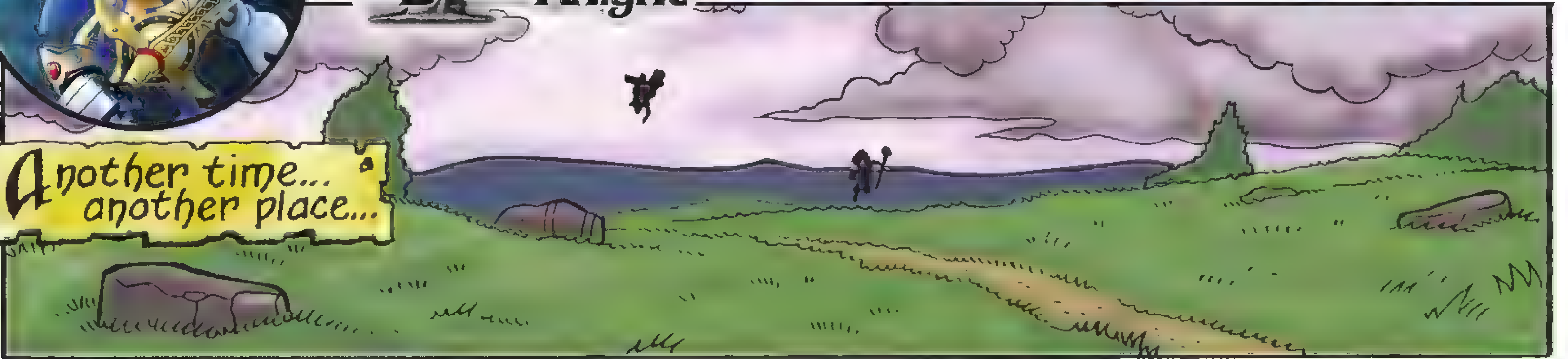
A WORLD IN PIECES
AND OUR HERO
TRANSFORMED!
GET ALL OF SONIC'S
ANSWERS YOURSELF IN
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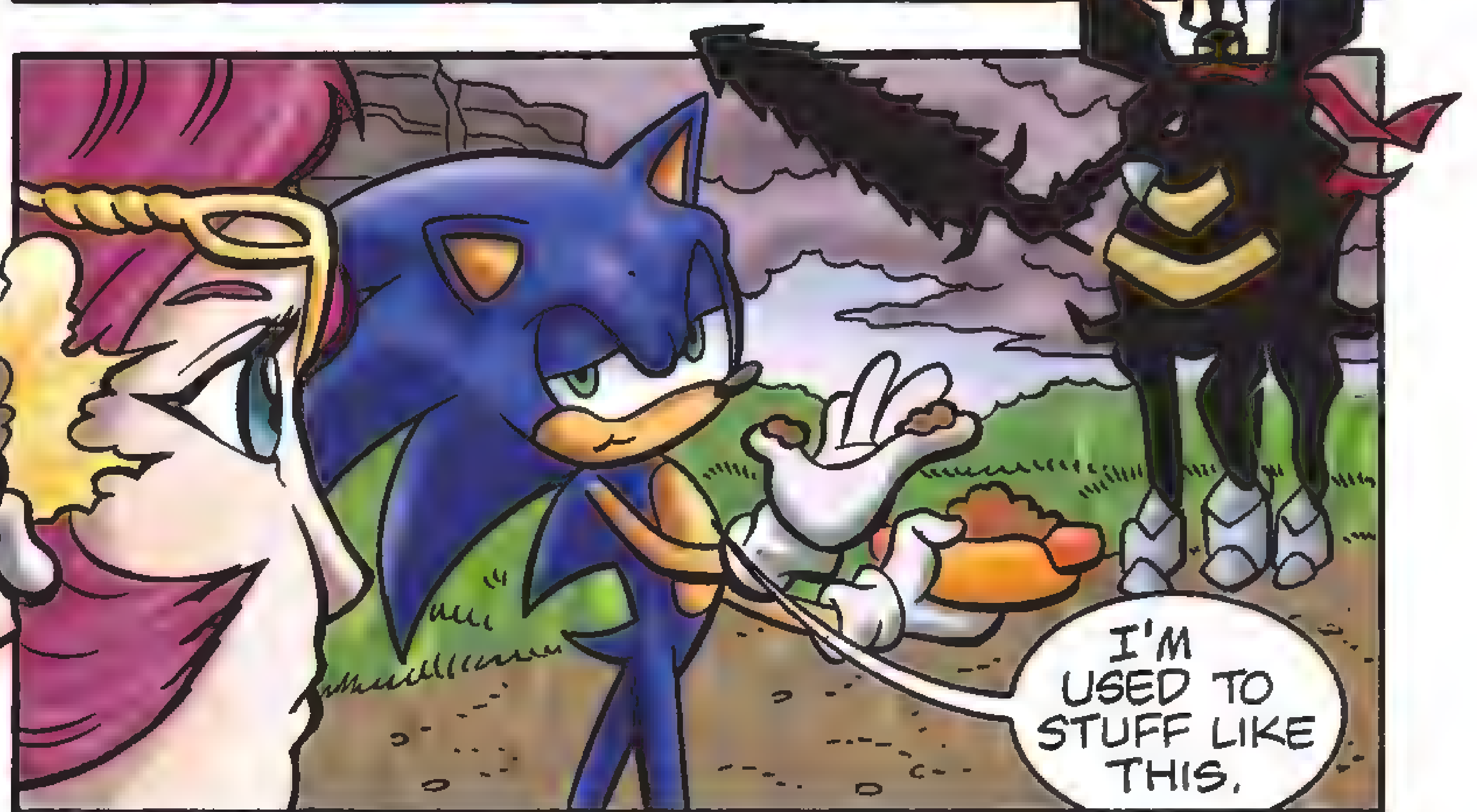
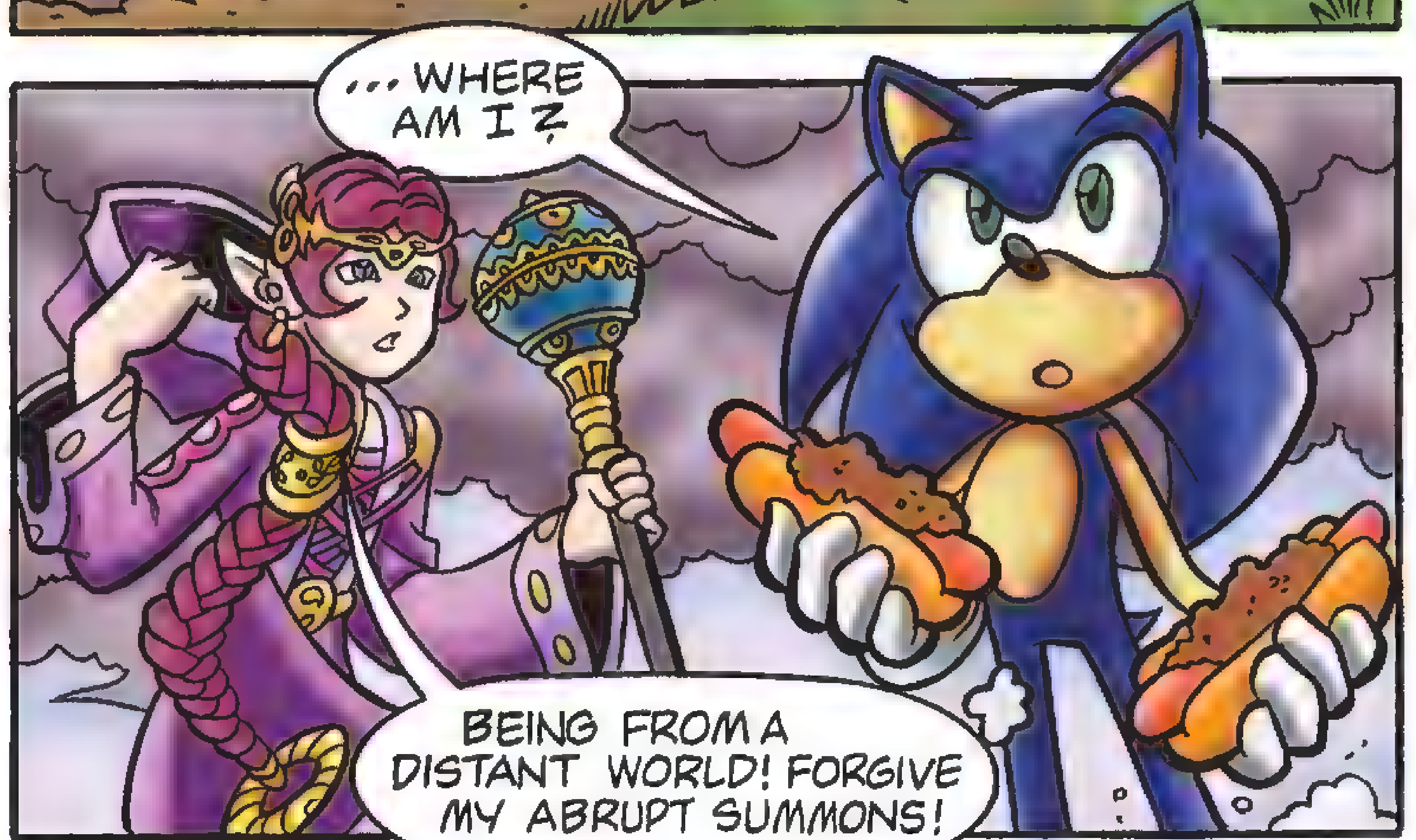
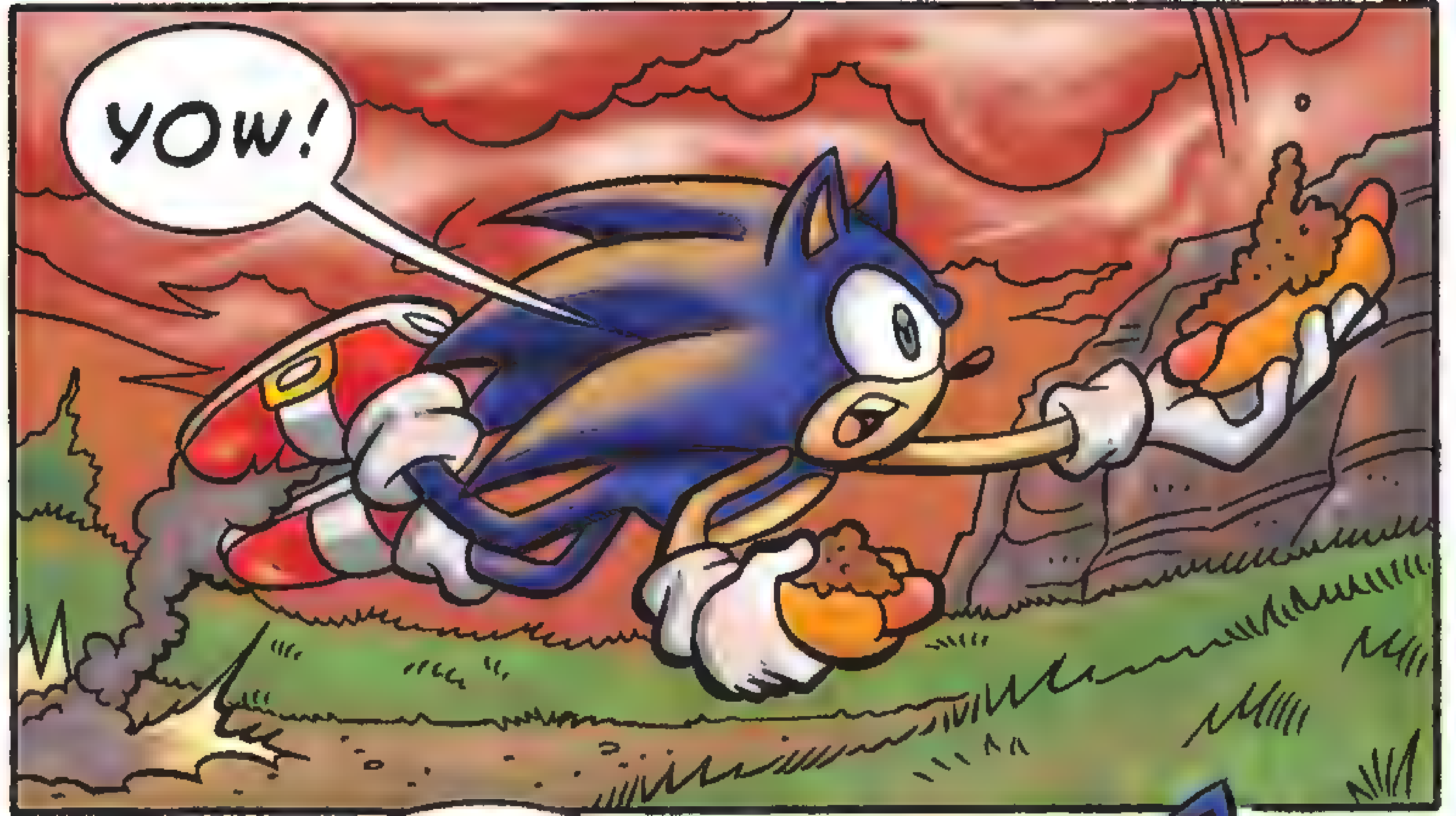
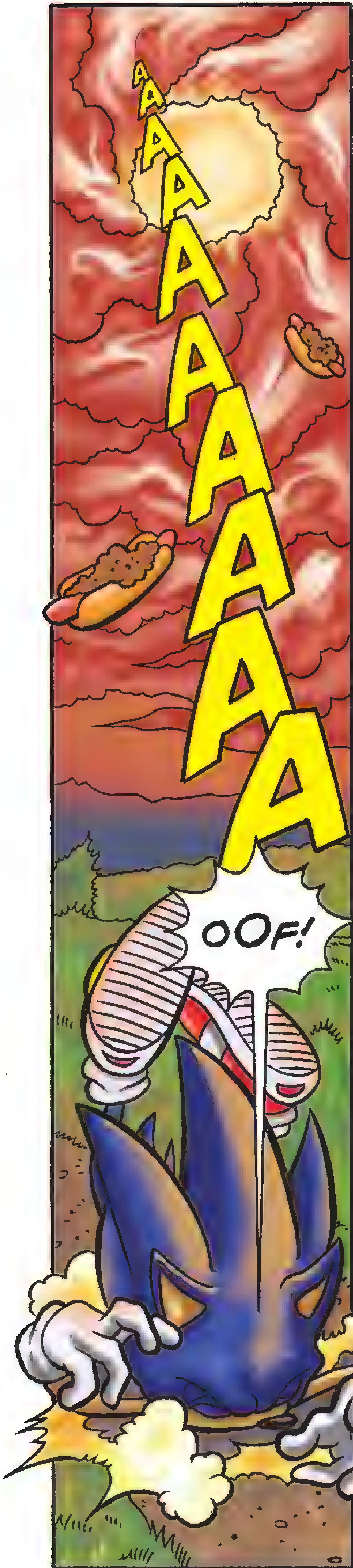
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another place...

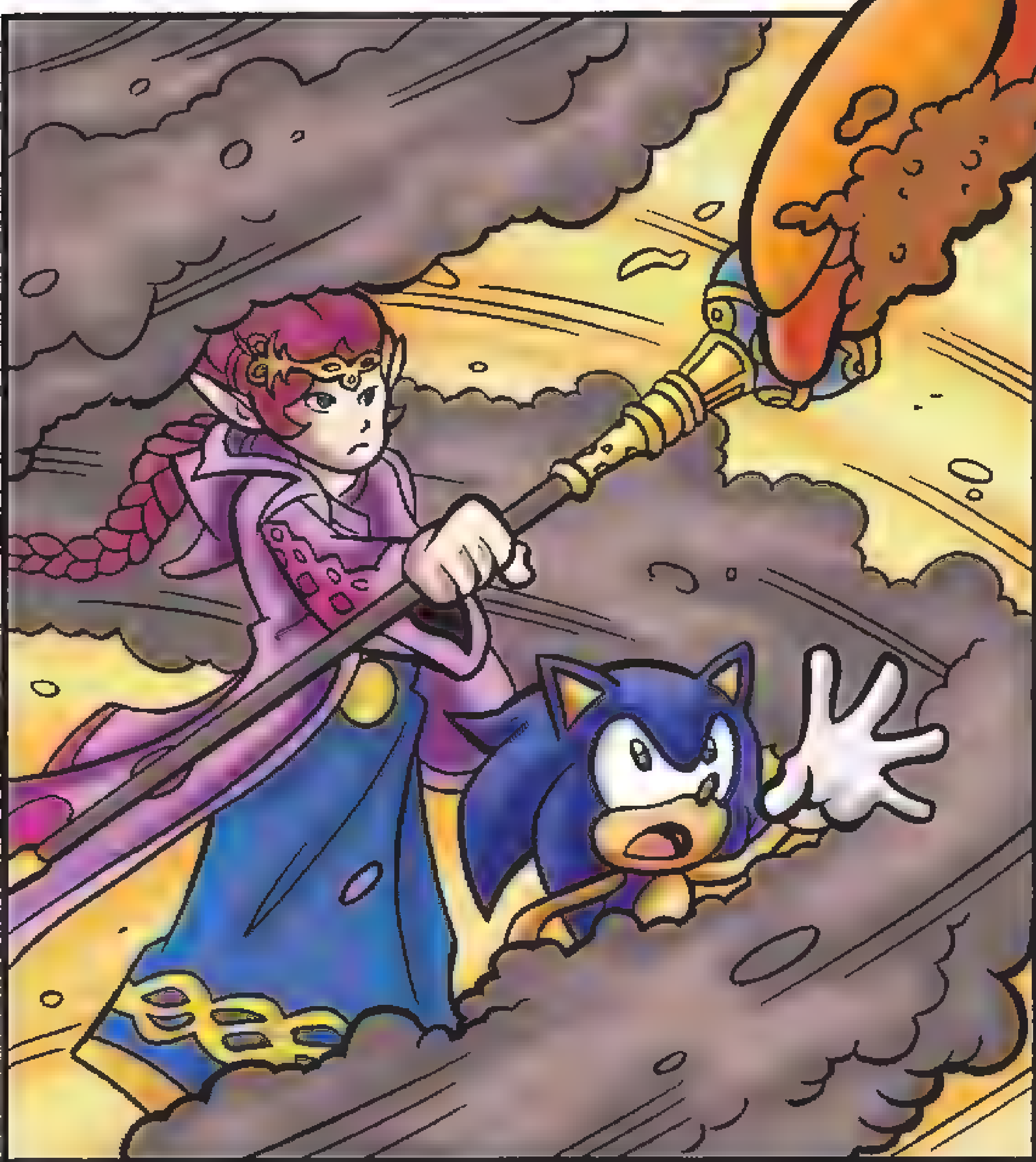
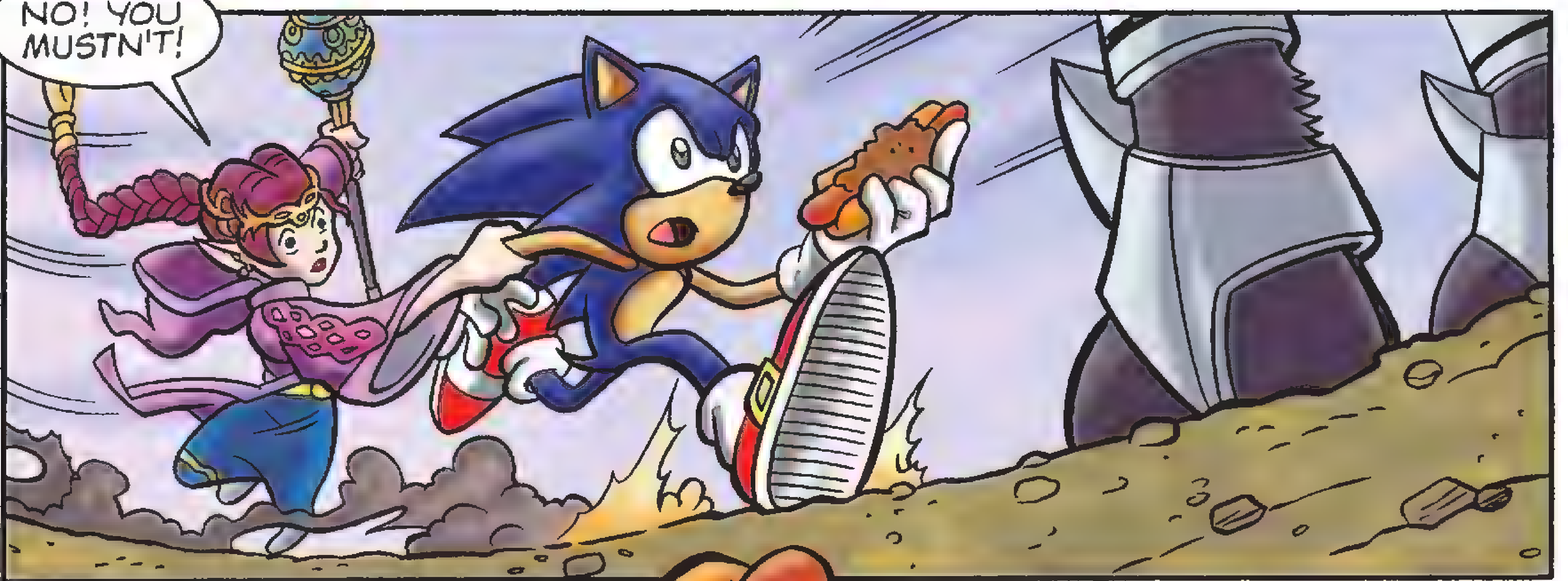
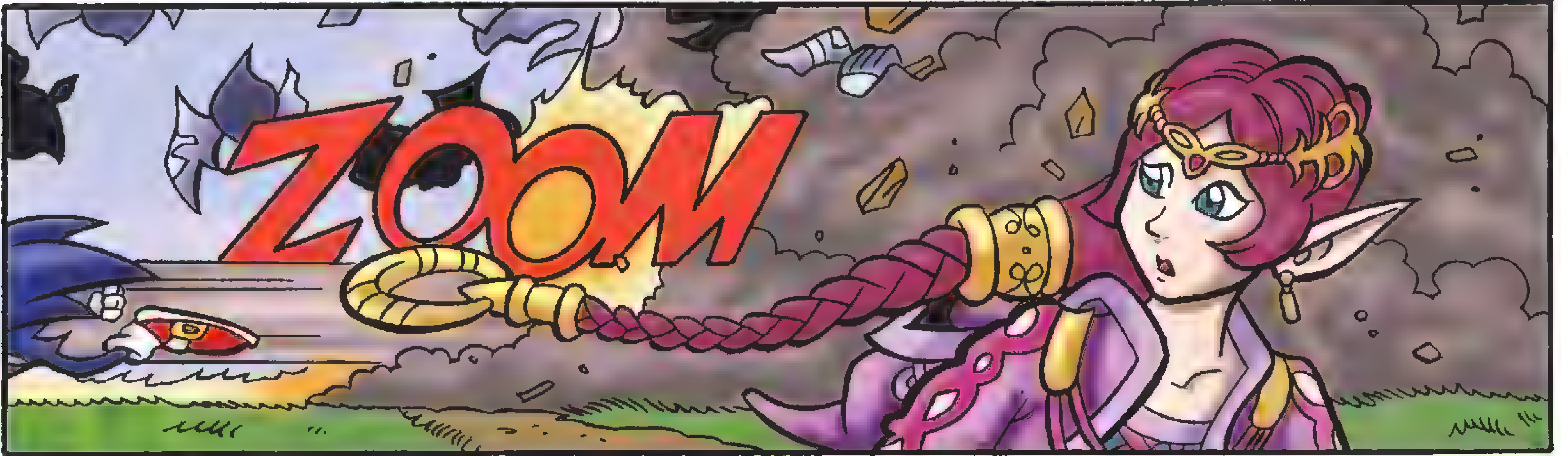
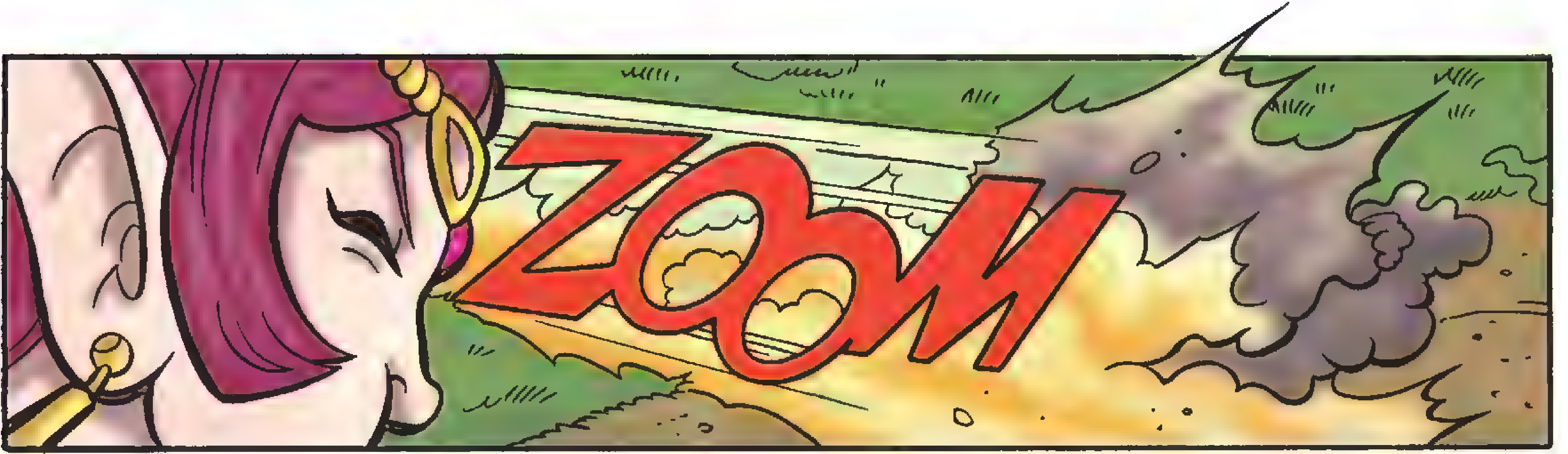


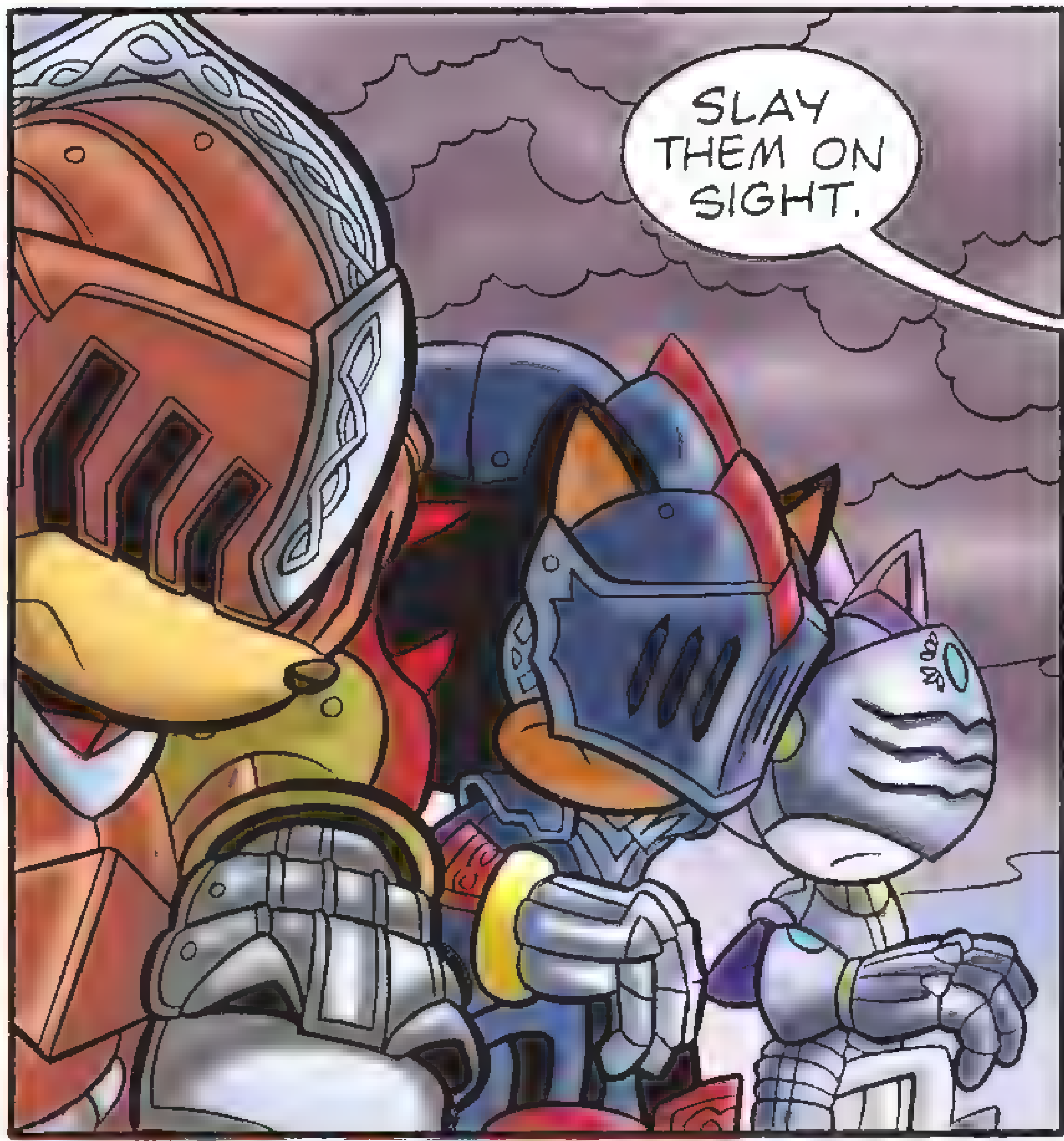
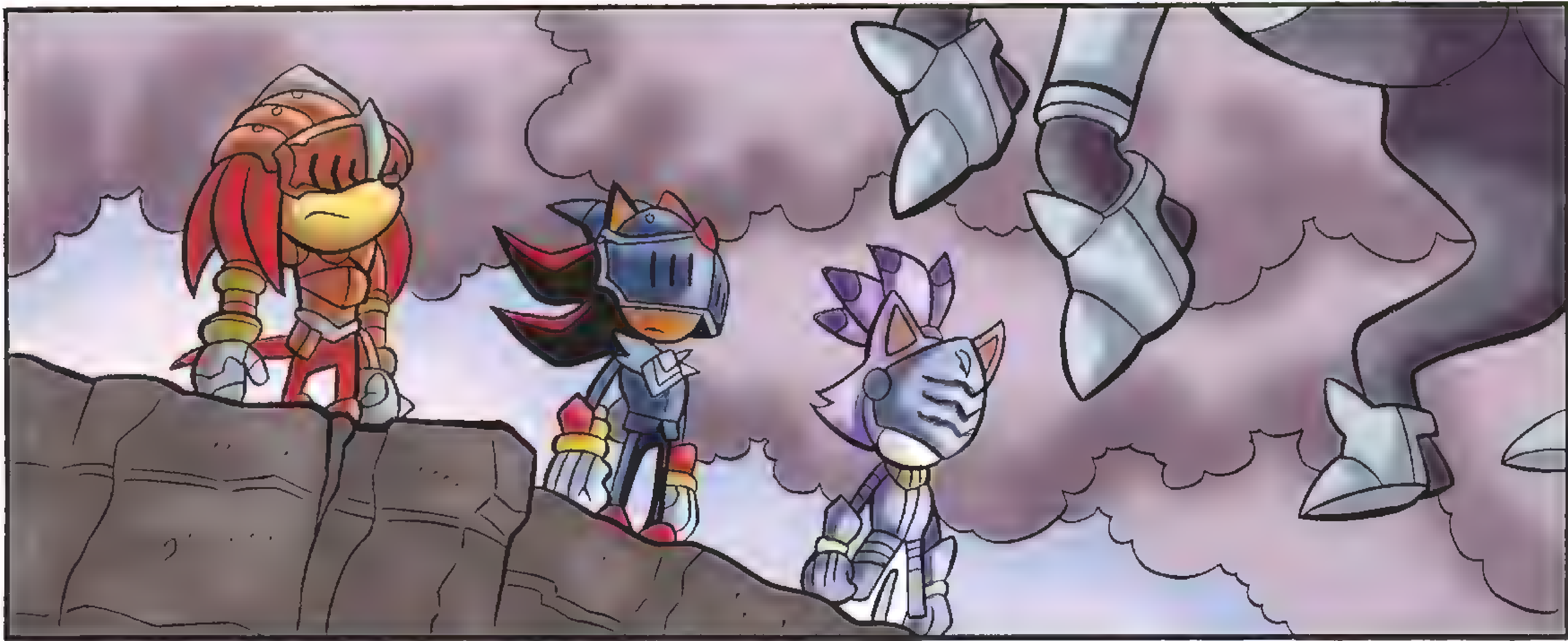
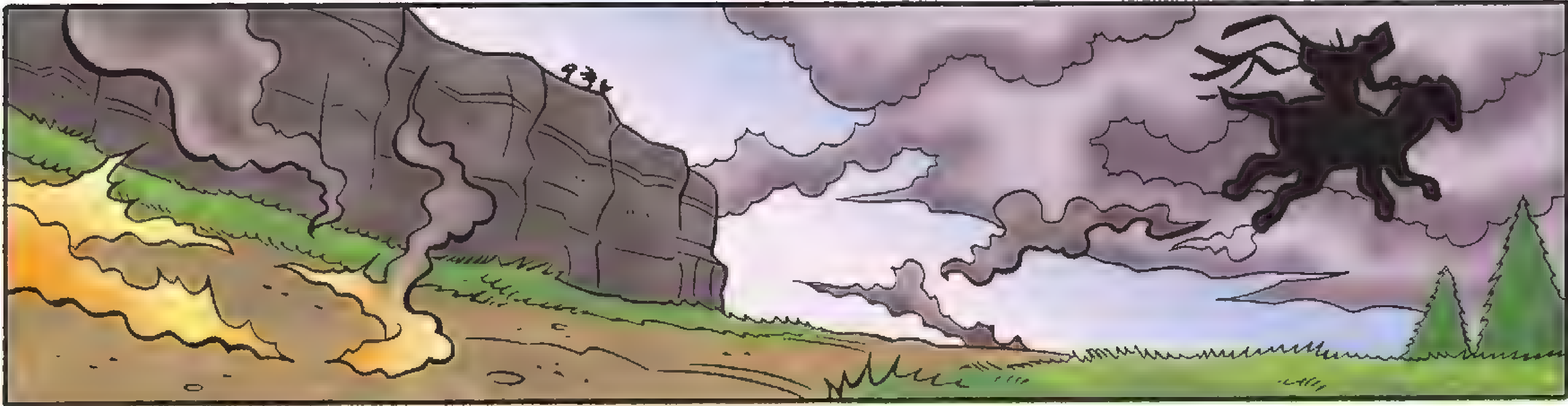
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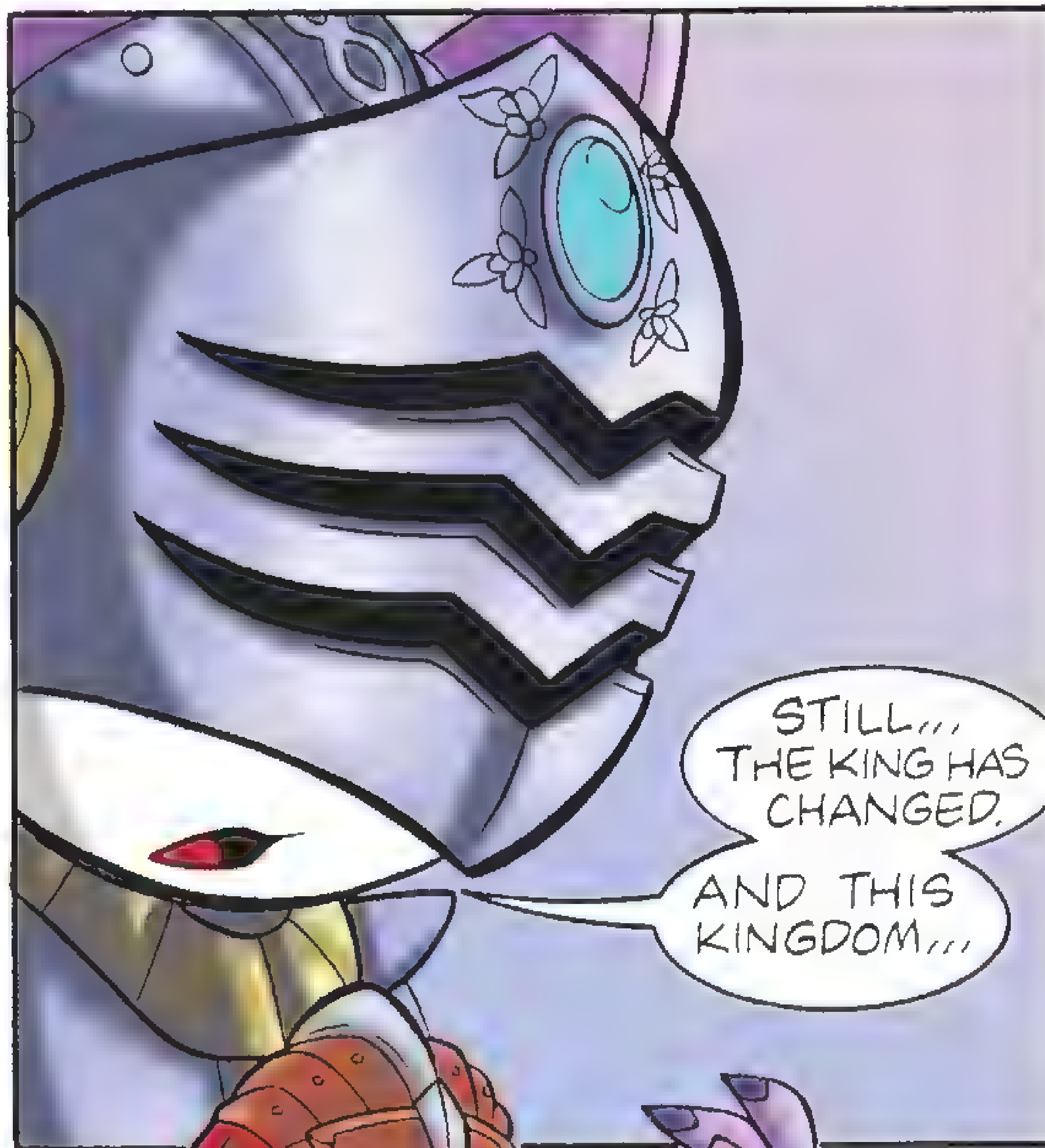
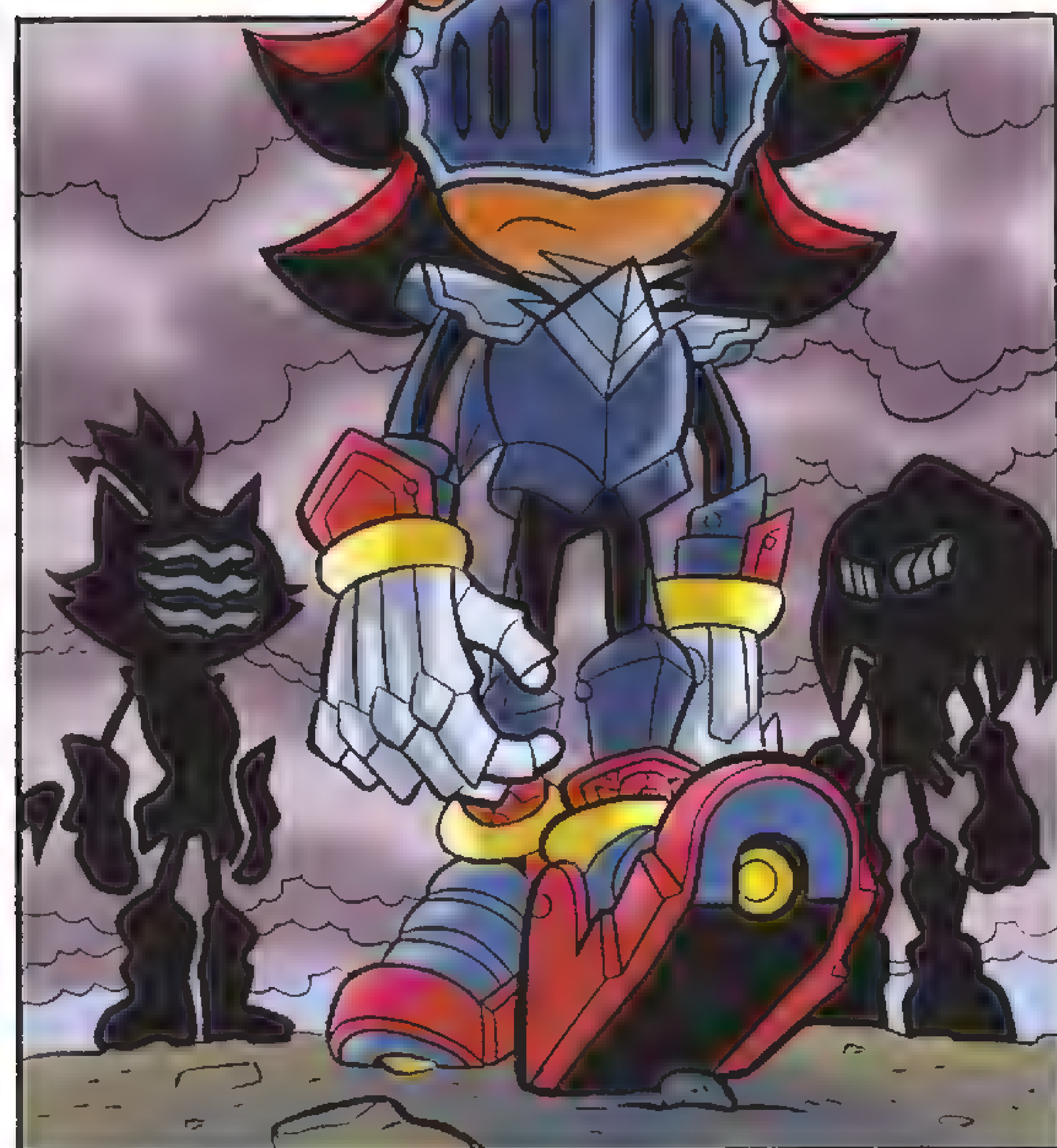
O BRAVE KNIGHT,
SWIFT AS THE WIND,
HEED MY CALL!

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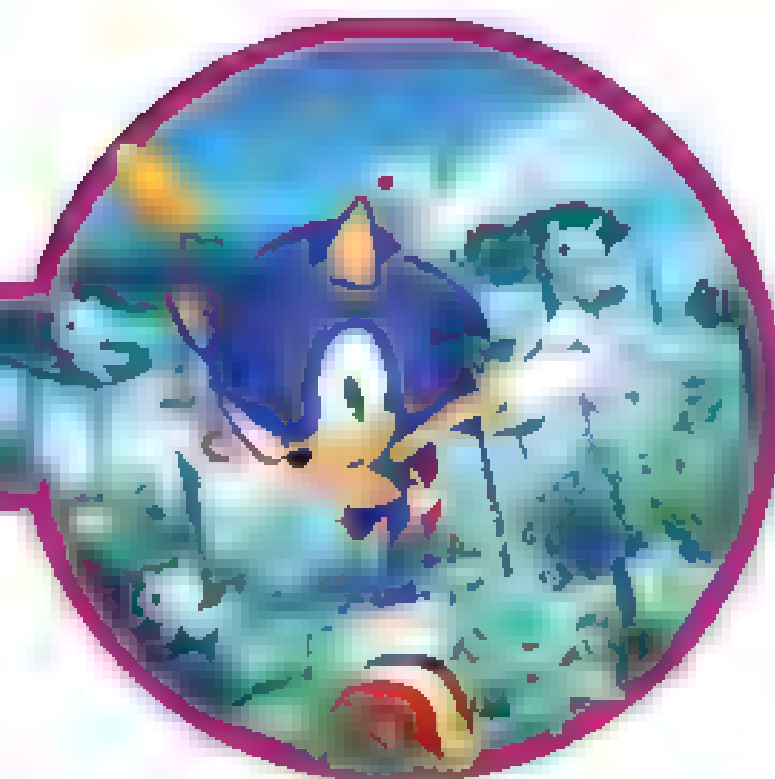
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Familiar faces wearing armor — and Sonic's caught in
the middle of it all!

Find out what happens next in

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SONICTM COLORS



IN
ANOTHER
TIME...

IN
ANOTHER
PLACE...



THANK YOU FOR USING THE
ORBITAL ELEVATOR SERVICE!
WELCOME TO THE JOYOUS
AND NOT-AT-ALL SINISTER
...EGGMAN'S INCREDIBLE
INTERSTELLAR AMUSEMENT
PARK!



YOU GOING
TO BE OKAY,
BUD?

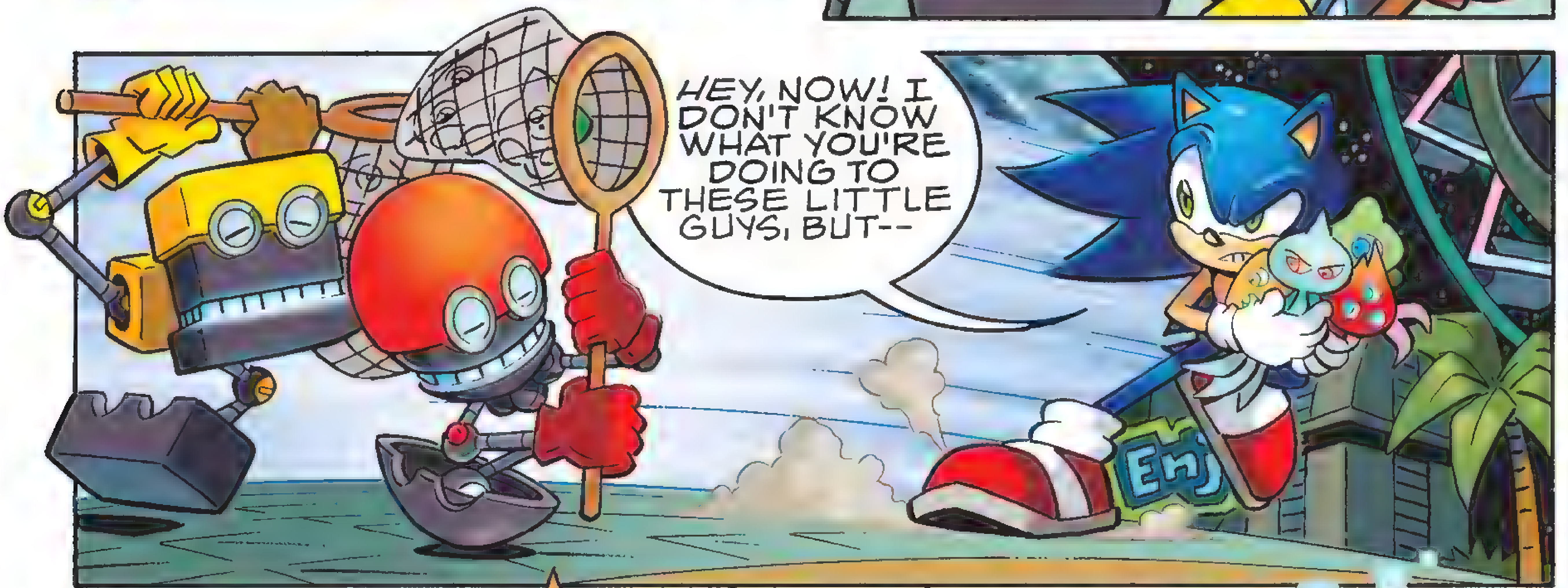
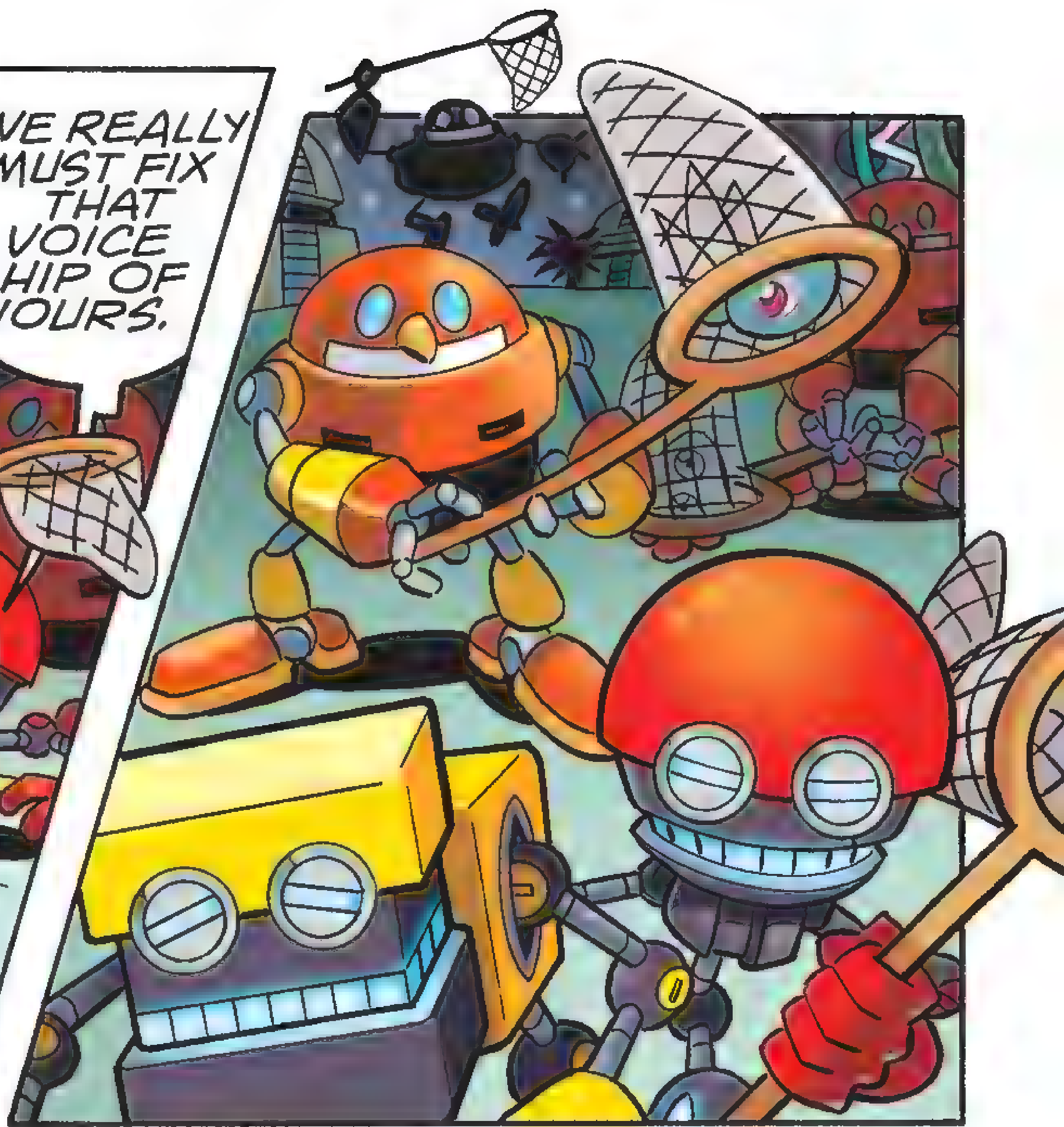
YEAH. -SURP-
FINE. THAT'S
ONE DOOZY
OF AN
ELEVATOR
RIDE.

YEAH.
KINDA
SLOW.

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NOW--
LET'S
FIND OUT
WHAT OL'
EGGMAN'S
UP TO
WITH THIS
AMUSEMENT
PARK.



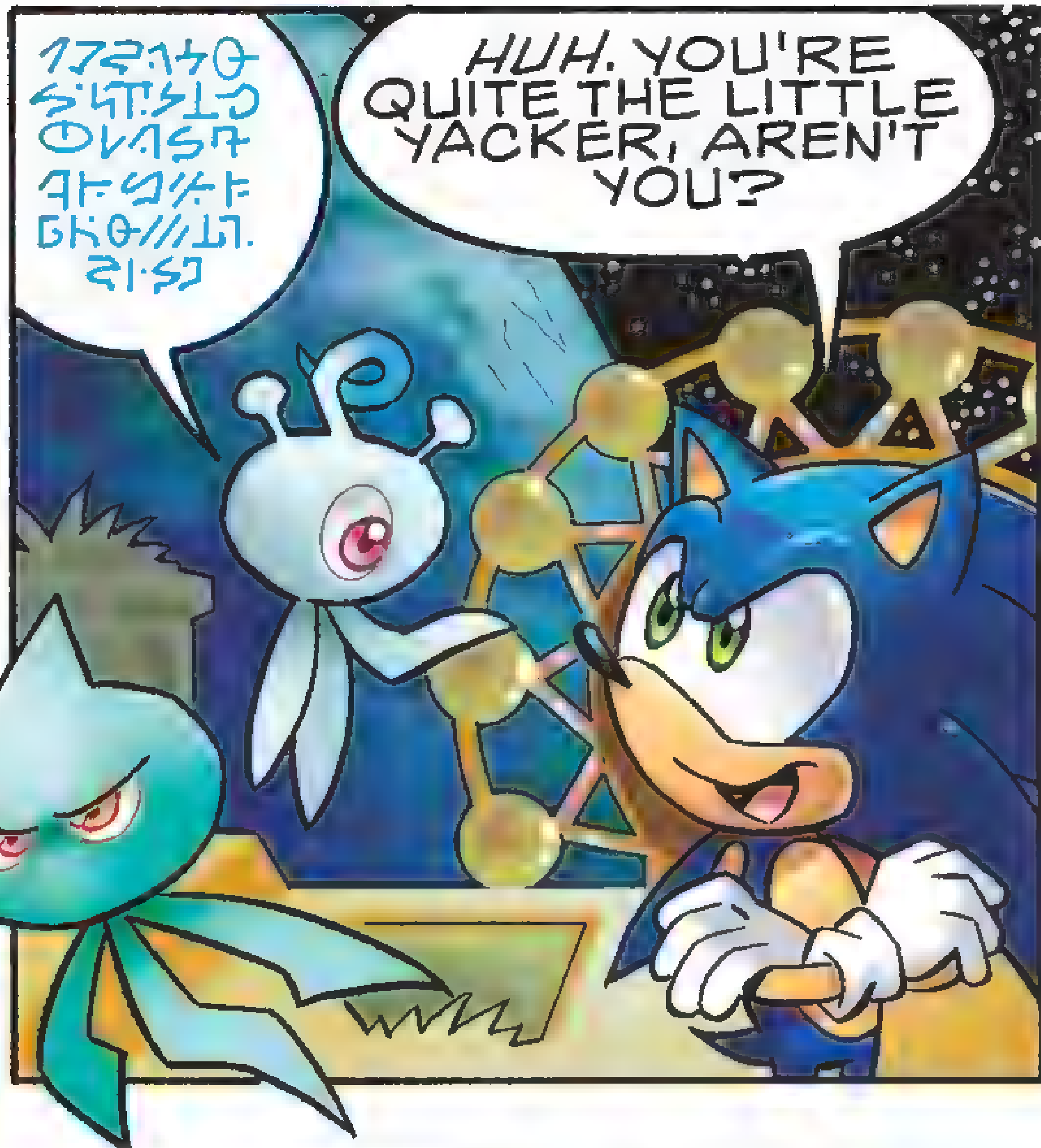


I BELIEVE THE
EXPRESSION IS:
"DISCRETION IS
THE BETTER
PART OF VALOR."

MEANING
...?

AS YOU
MIGHT PUT
IT: "LET'S
GIT OUTTA
DODGE,
PARDNER!!!"

THAT WAS
AWESOME,
LITTLE DUDE!
HOW DID WE
DO THAT?



DON'T YOU WORRY, LITTLE TALKATIVE GHOSTLY-ALIEN GUY!

HIS NAME IS YACKER. HE'S A WISP.

DON'T YOU WORRY, YACKER THE WISP! I'LL SAVE YOUR PLANET AND YOUR FRIENDS!

AND I CAN COUNT ON YOU GUYS TO LEND A HAND WITH YOUR COOL POWERS, RIGHT?

NOW YOU CAN PLAY THE REST OF THE ADVENTURE WITH **SONIC COLORS** ON YOUR **WII** AND **NINTENDO DS!**

THEN LET'S GET THIS SHOW ON THE ROAD!



IN ANOTHER TIME, IN
ANOTHER PLACE...

LOOK OUT,
EVERYONE!
HE'S
COMING!



HEY, TAILS!
WHAT'S
GOING
ON?



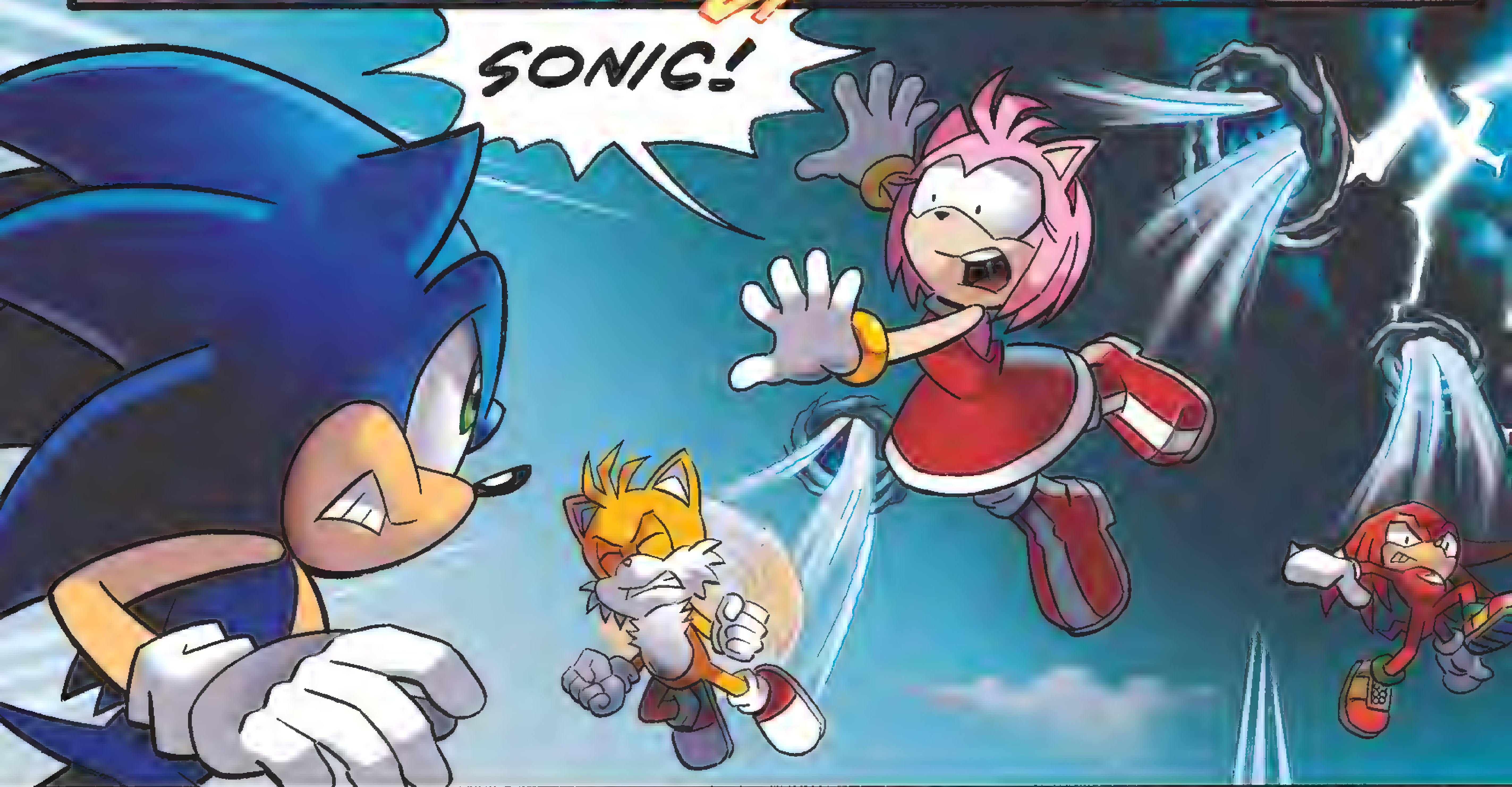
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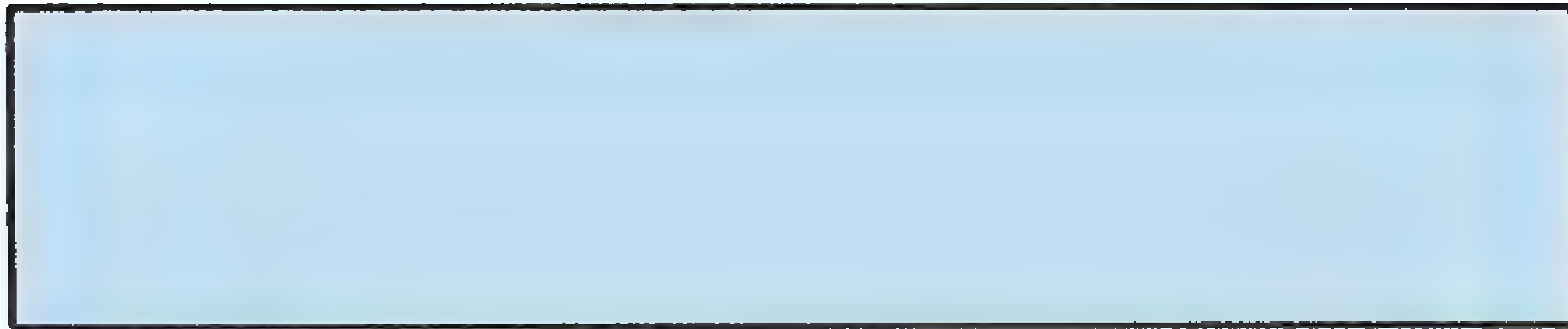






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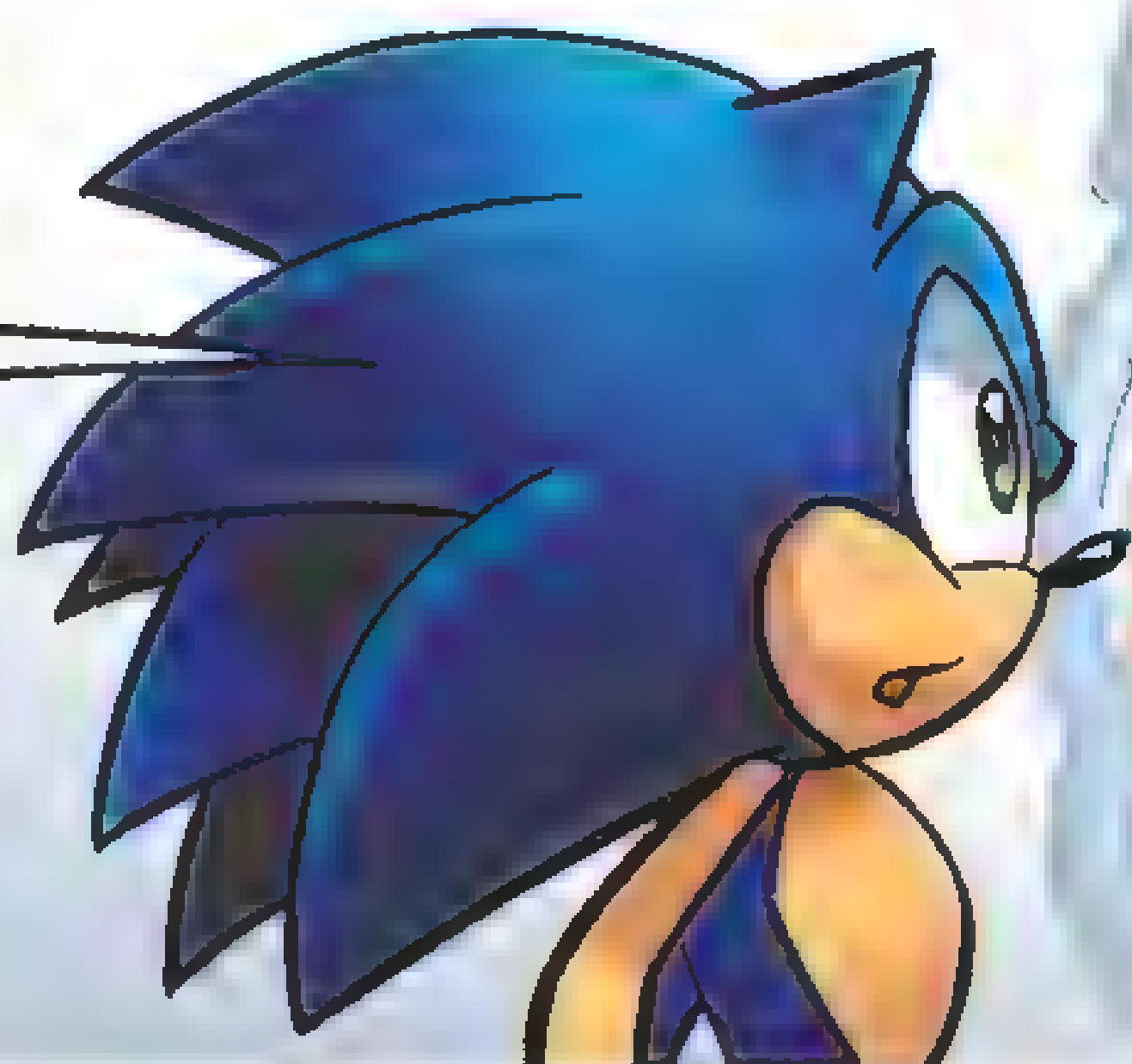




UGH...
SOME
BIRTH-
DAY...



HMMM,
STRANGE
PORTALS,
STRANGER
MONSTERS,
AND MY
FRIEND'S IN
TROUBLE.



TIME TO
DO THAT
HERO
THING!



MYSTERIOUS MONSTERS!
OTHER-WORLDFLY ROOMS! AND TWO SONICS?!
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SPECIAL THANKS TO
ANTHONY GACCIONE, CINDY CHAU,
MIA PUTRINO, AND KEN BALOUGH
AT SEGA LICENSING

IN ANOTHER
TIME, IN
ANOTHER PLACE...

THE E.G.G.
STATION...

RRRR
ARGH!
HOLD
STILL!

C'MON,
DOC! STEP IT
UP! YOU'RE TOO
SLOW!

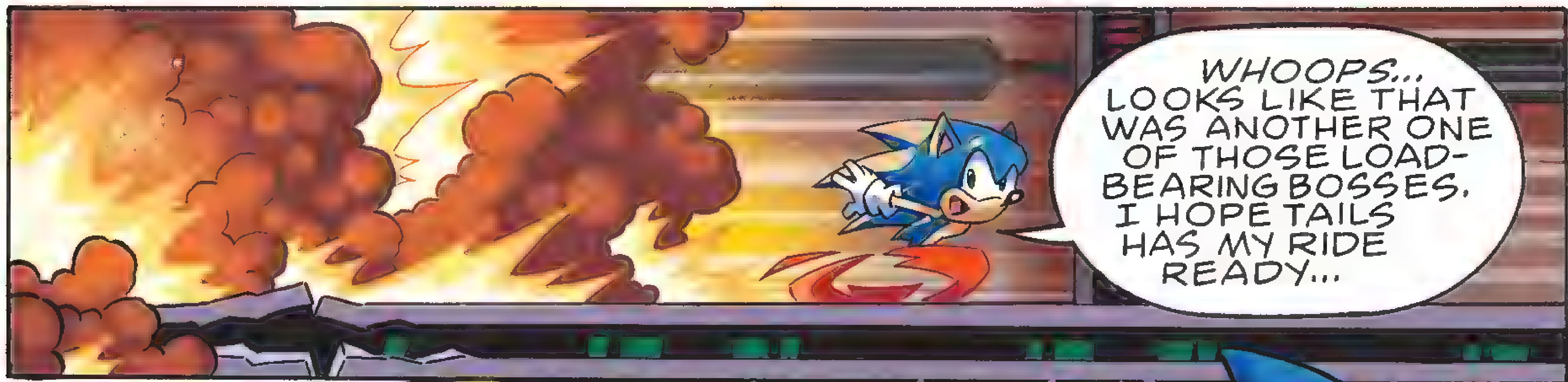
OLÉ!

SLAM!

NO!

BOOM!

AAAAAAND
WE'RE DONE!
NICE TRY,
DOC!



WHOOOPS...
LOOKS LIKE THAT
WAS ANOTHER ONE
OF THOSE LOAD-
BEARING BOSSES.
I HOPE TAILS
HAS MY RIDE
READY...



BINGO!
I KNEW
I COULD
COUNT
ON HIM.

SOON...

SONIC! I'M
GLAD TO SEE
YOU BACK SAFE AND
SOUND! DID YOU
BEAT DOCTOR
EGGMAN
AGAIN?

OF
COURSE
I DID. THANKS
FOR THE RIDE,
BUD.



ANYTIME. I
HOPE YOU'RE NOT
TOO TIRED FOR
ONE MORE
ADVENTURE?

NEVER!
WHAT'S
UP?

LITTLE
PLANET IS
ABOUT TO
MAKE ITS
ANNUAL
RETURN!

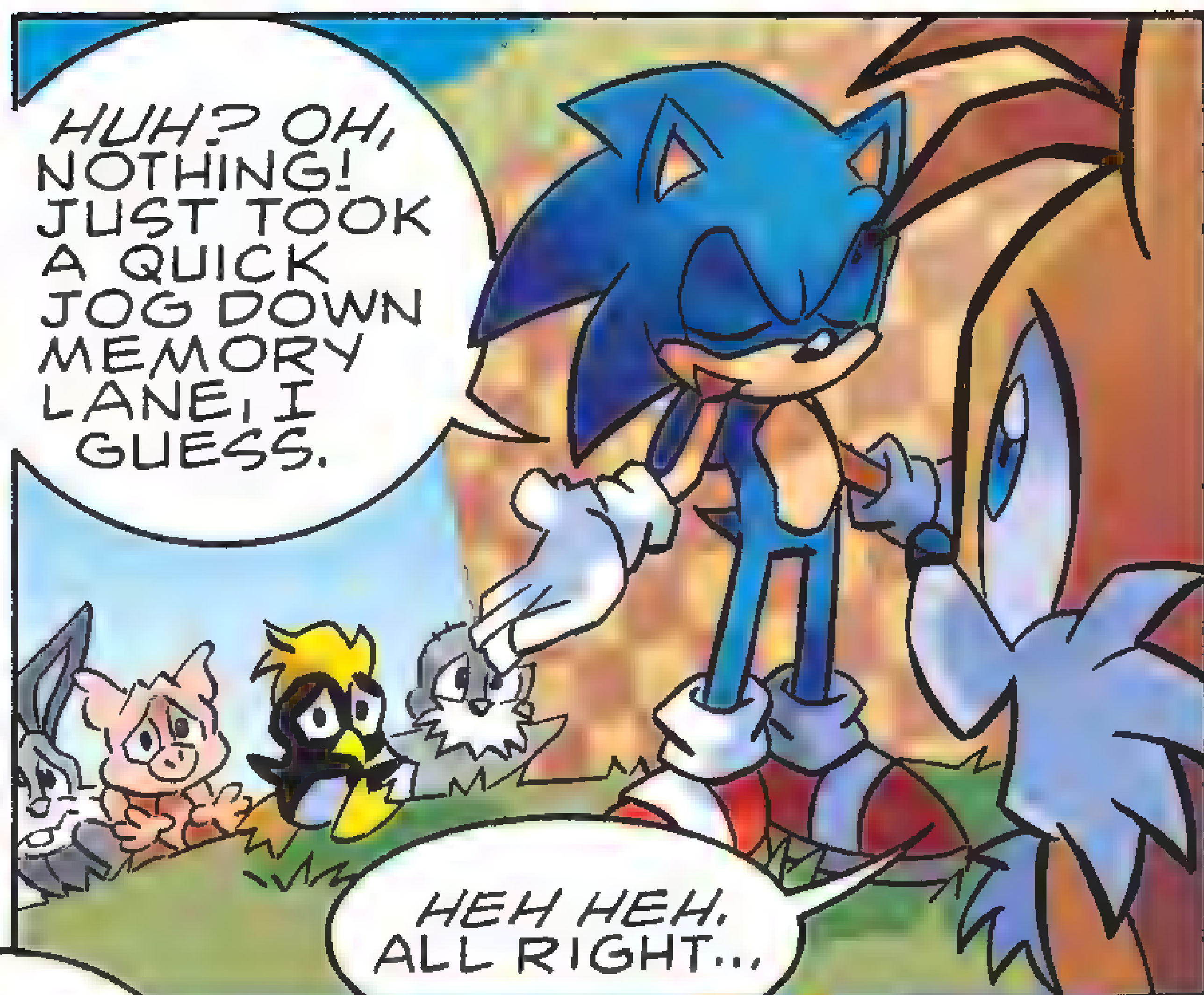


LITTLE
PLANET...
NOW THAT
WAS A WILD
ADVENTURE...

"THAT'S WHERE I
FIRST MET AMY
ROSE. DOCTOR
EGGMAN WAS
AFTER THE TIME
STONES, AND HE
BROUGHT ALONG
HIS MOST
ADVANCED
BADNIK..."

"...METAL SONIC!
I GOTTA ADMIT, OF ALL
THE ROBOTS I'VE FACED,
NOTHING WAS AS FAST OR
AS DANGEROUS OR AS
COOL-LOOKING AS THAT."

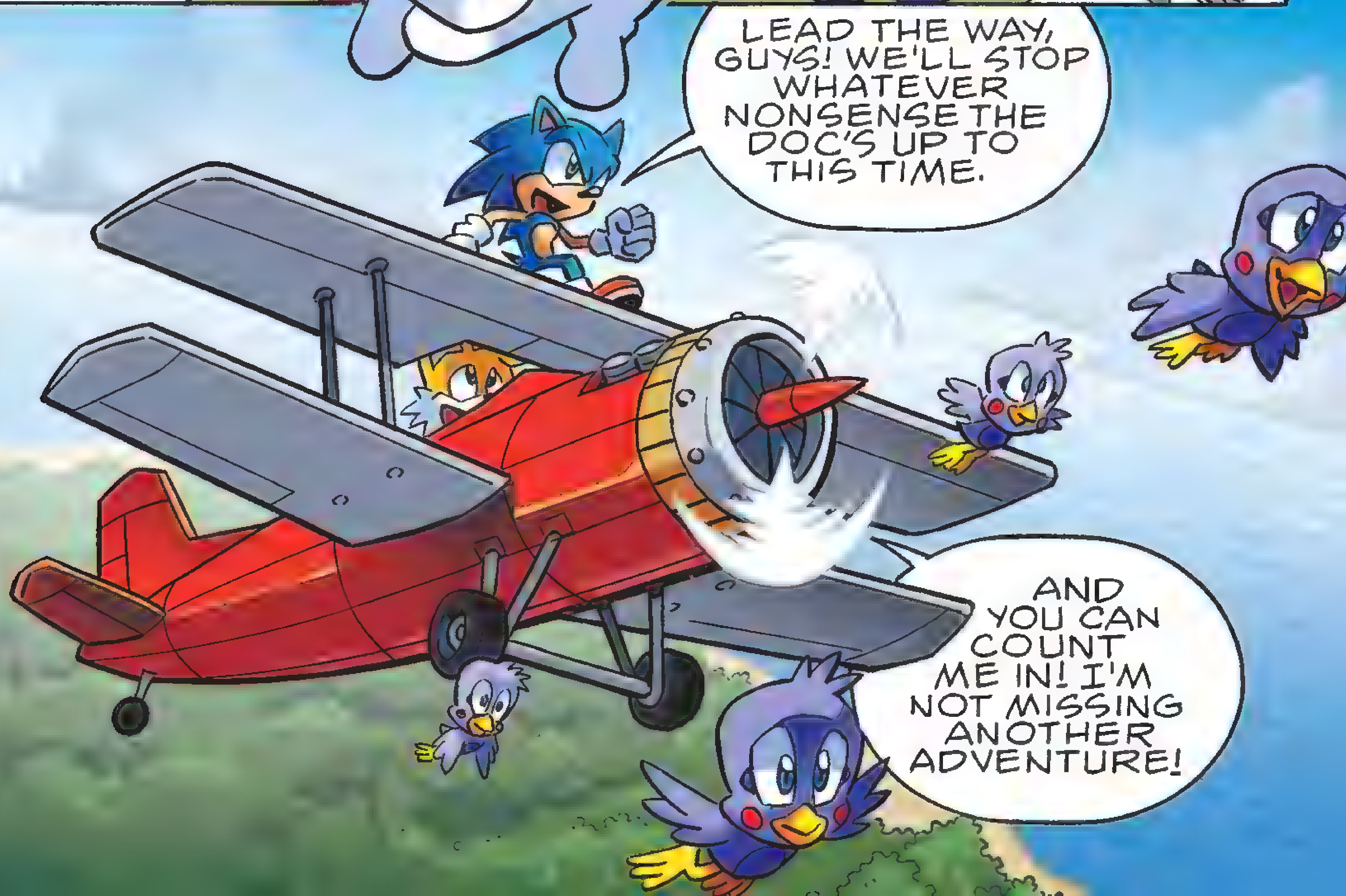
"I MANAGED TO WIN
THE RACE AND SAVE AMY,
BUT I'VE ALWAYS
WONDERED IF IT'D GO
THE SAME WAY IN A
REMATCH."



...DR. EGGMAN IS UP TO HIS OLD TRICKS AGAIN? SO SOON?



AND SO...



MEANWHILE...

THAT'S
IT, MY LOVELY
ROBOTS! BRING
ME MORE
ANIMALS TO
EVEN MORE
BADNIKS!

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PICK YOURSELF UP,
DUST YOURSELF OFF,
AND GET BACK TO
WORK! SONIC IS AS
BIG A PAIN AS EVER,
AND YOU'RE JUST THE
ROBOT TO STOP HIM...

...MY METAL
SONIC!

**LITTLE PLANET
HAS RETURNED--
AND SO HAS THE DREADED
METAL SONIC!**
WHAT IS DR. EGGMAN'S
NEWEST SCHEME?
WILL SONIC
AND TAILS
STOP IT IN TIME?
FIND OUT
FOR YOURSELF
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GO!



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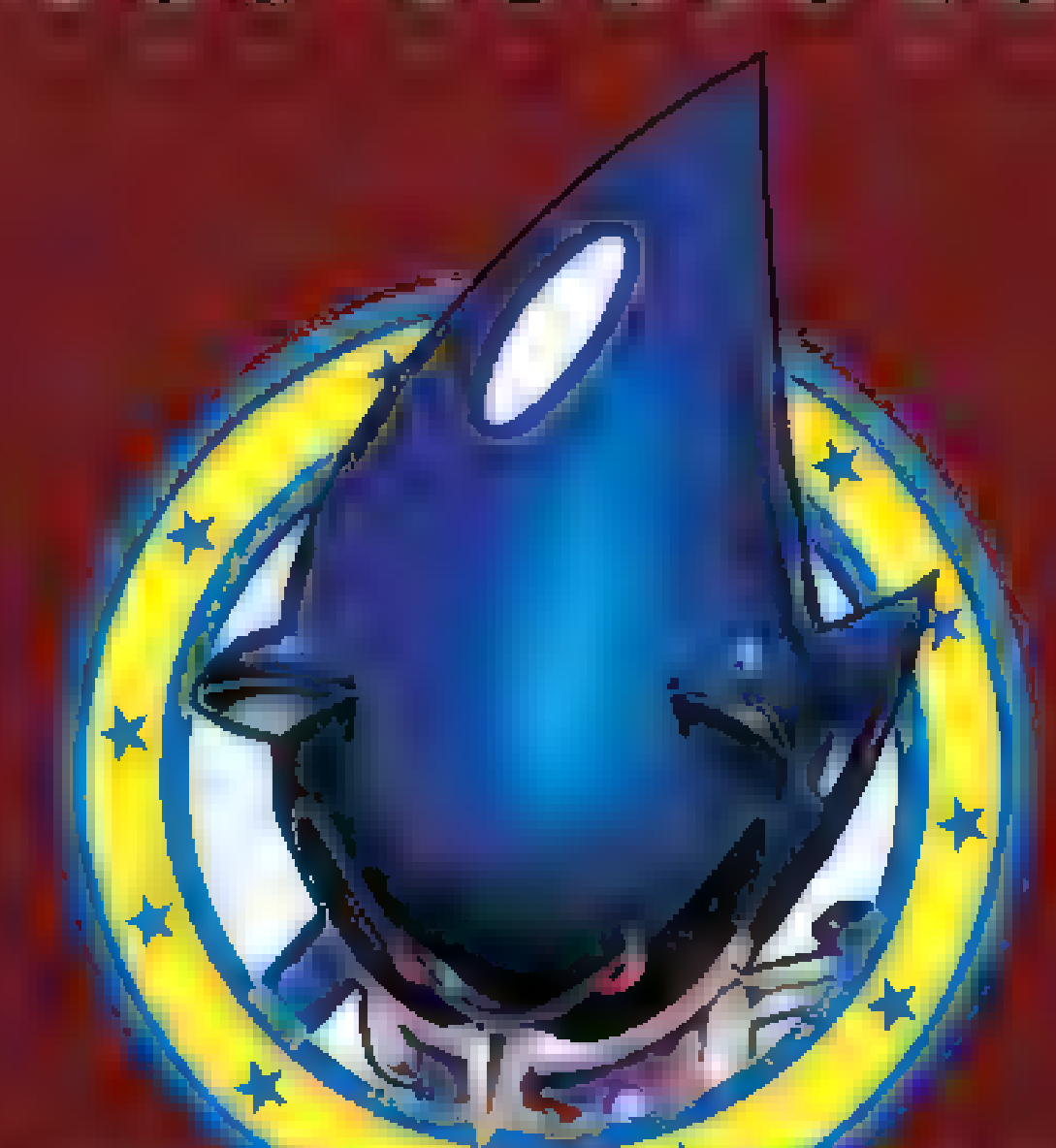
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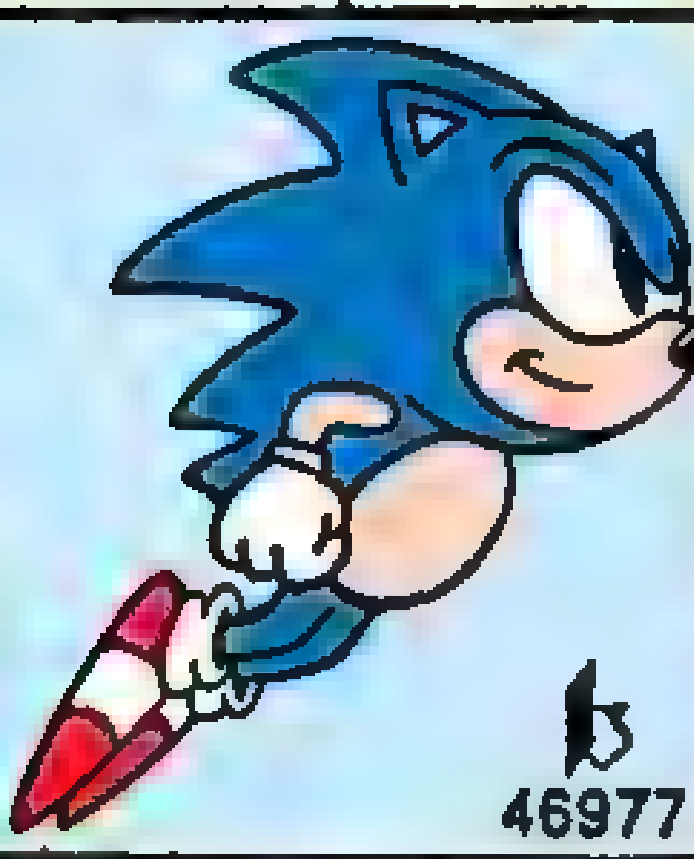
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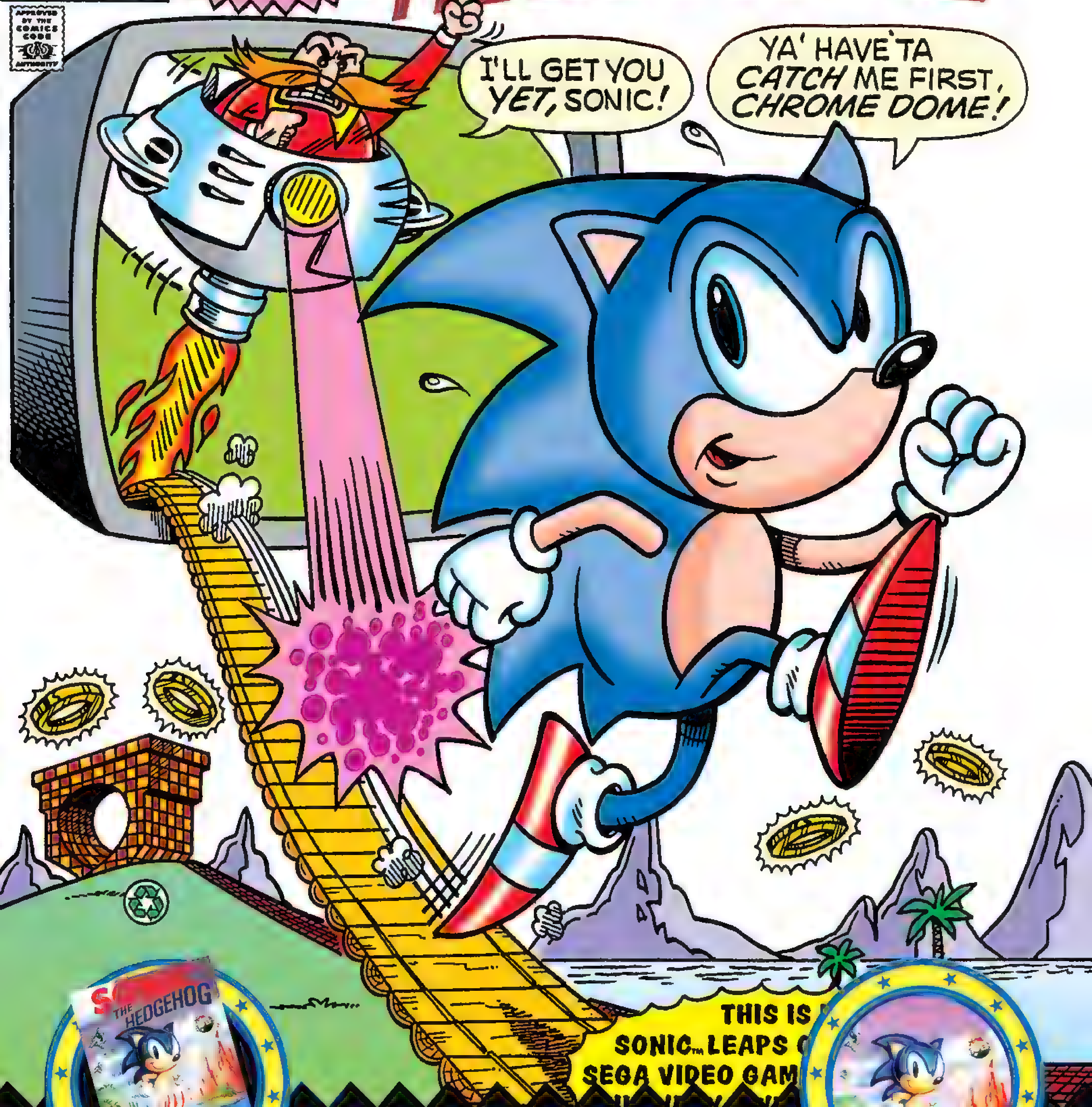
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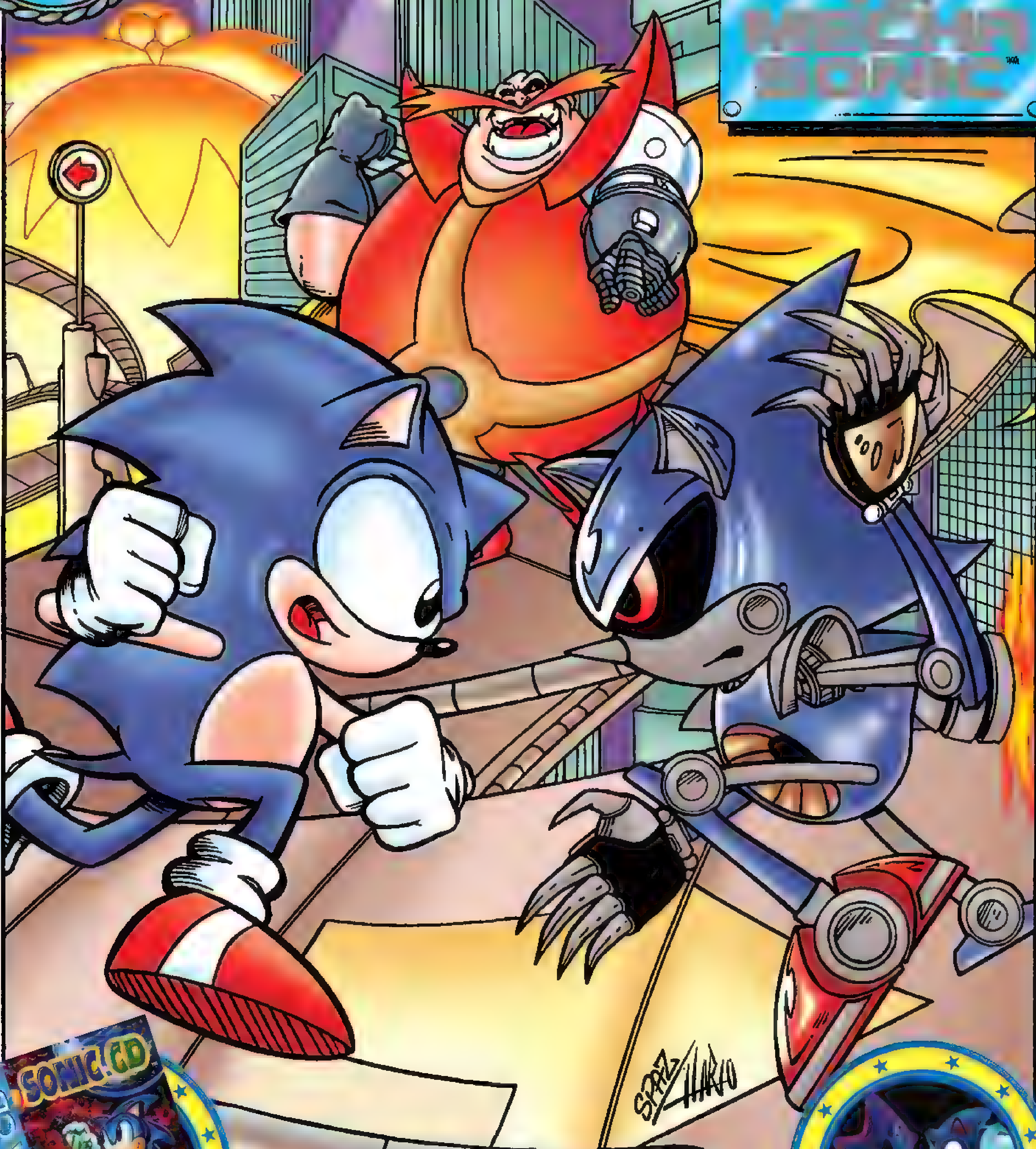
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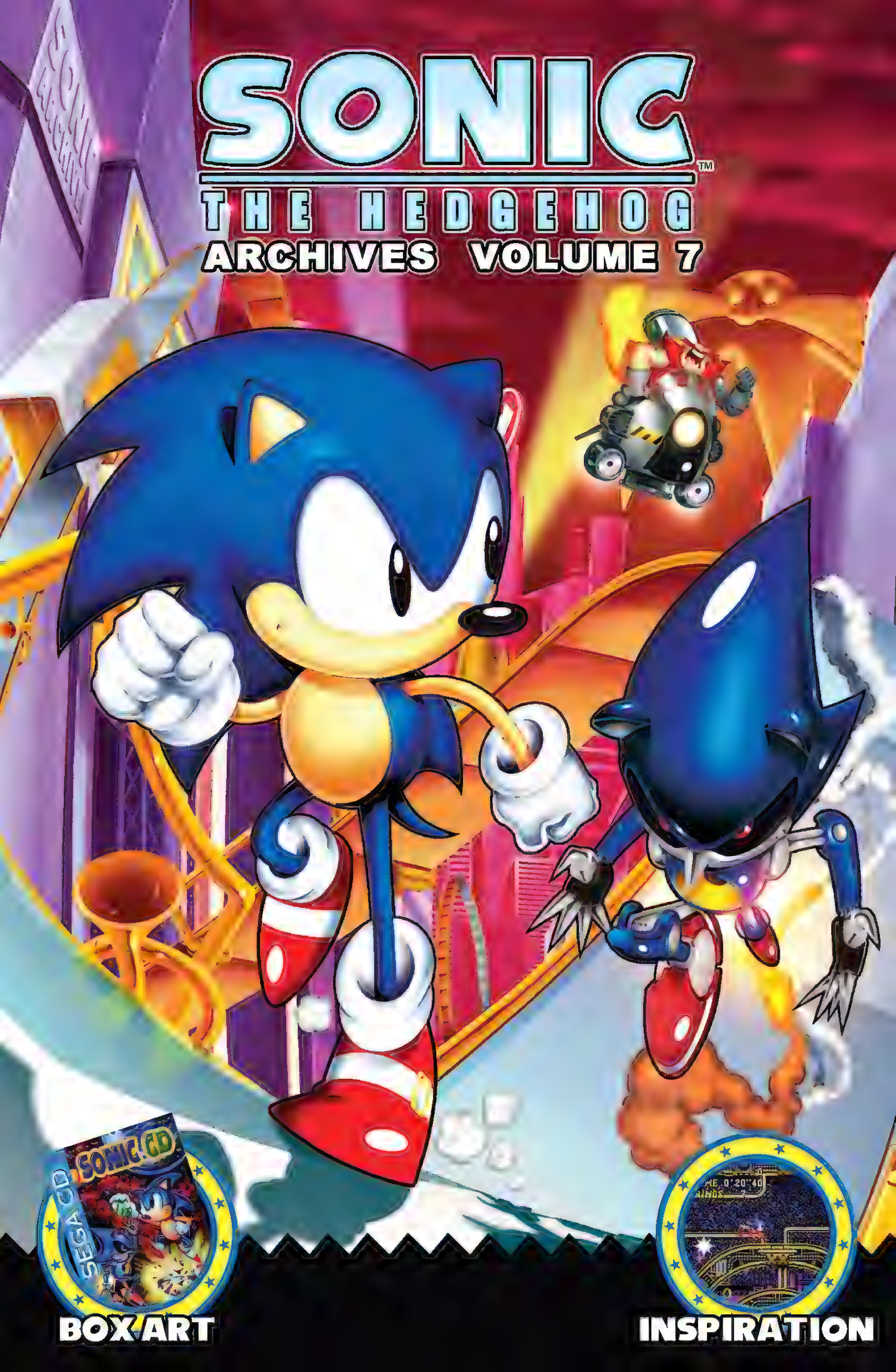
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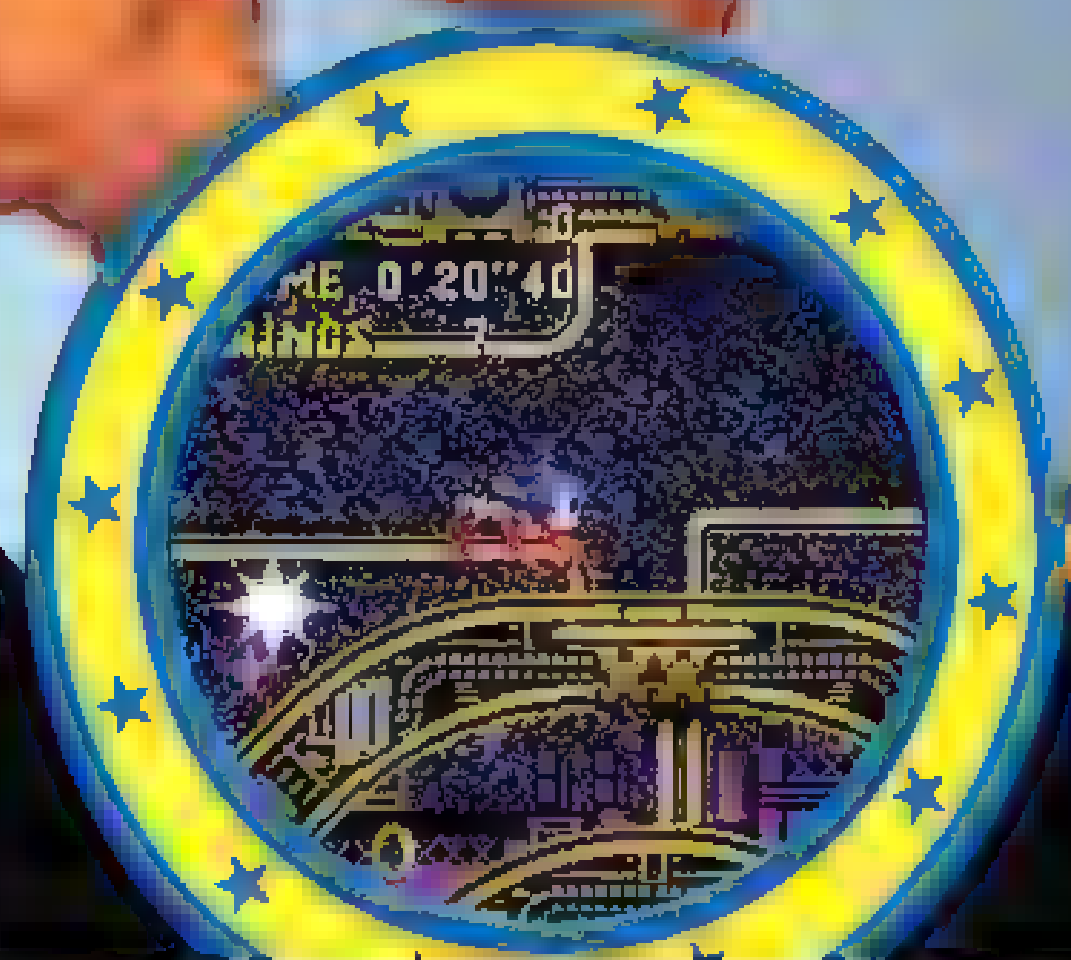
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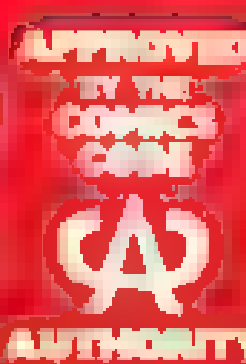


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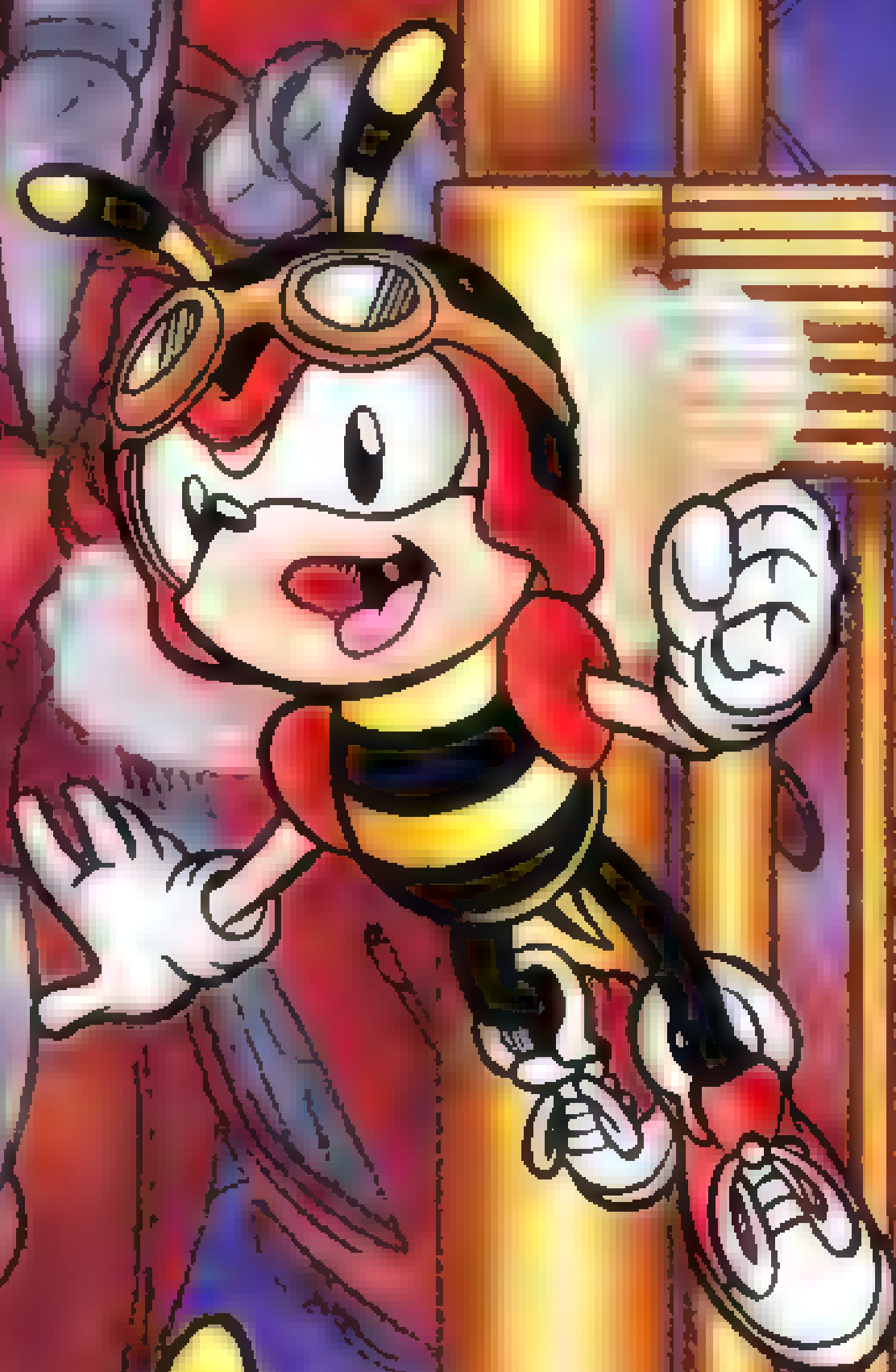
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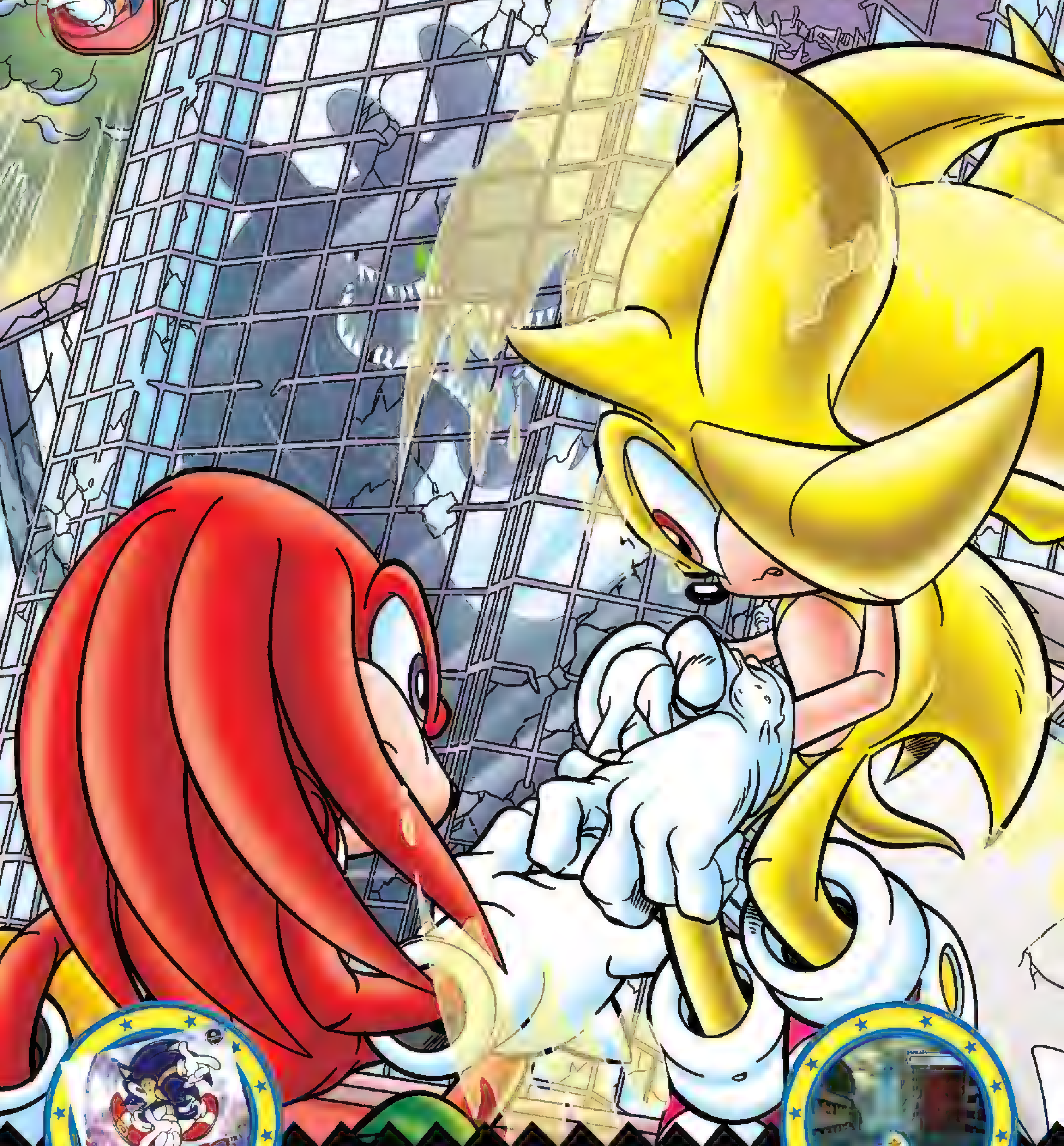
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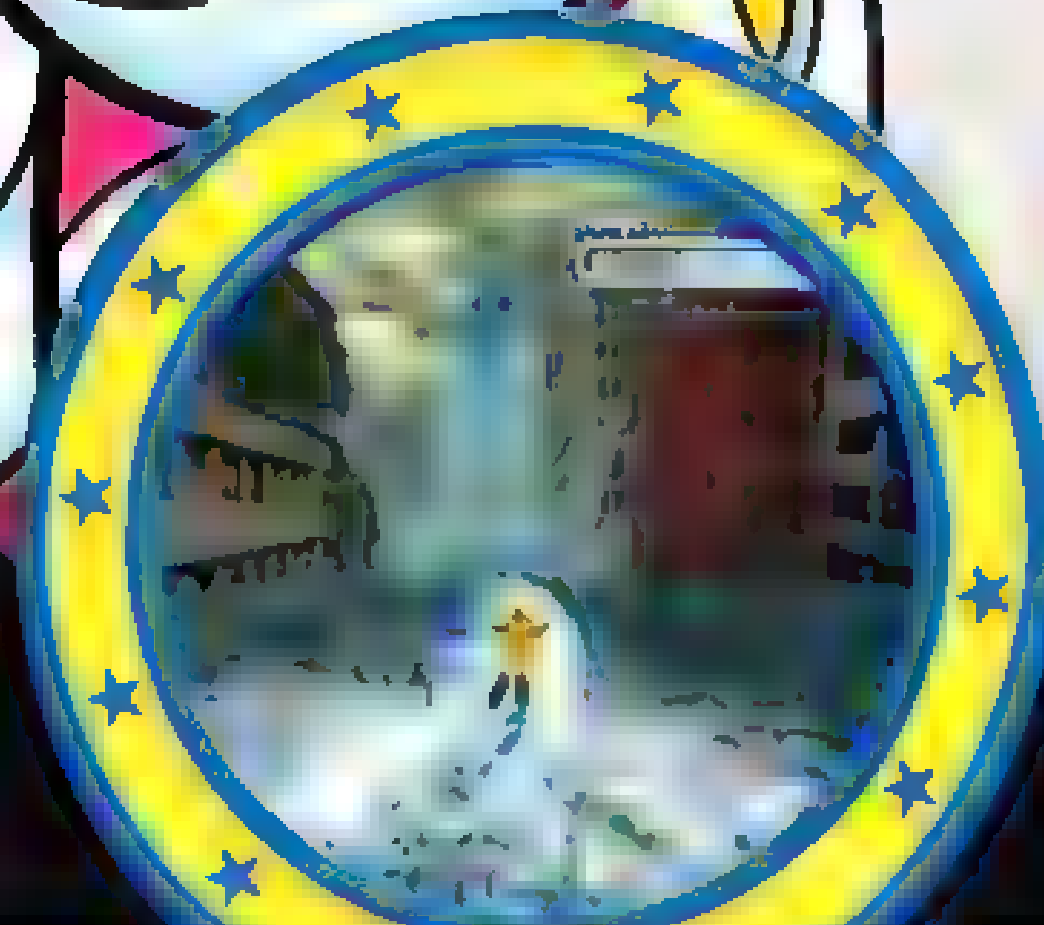


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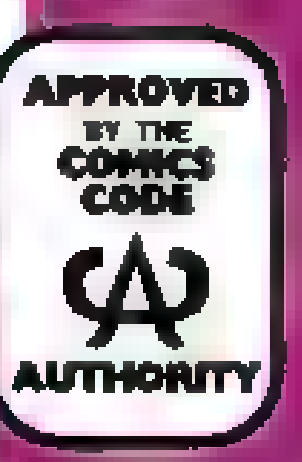
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